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JOHN HALL, b. in England abt.1605;d.Wallingford,Conn.,3 May 1676
 Married, 3 July, 1640-1
 JEANNE WOLLEN

Our first New England ancestor, of the Hall name, was JOHN HALL "of New Haven and Wallingford", Conn. Unfortunately, no record of his lineage has been preserved. He must have landed in Boston. We know that he was a soldier in the expedition against the Pequots, under Capt. Israel Stoughton, for in 1698 we find a record of the "grant of 50 acres of land to Thomas Hall, fourth son of John Hall of New Haven, in consideration of his father's services in the Pequot War of 1637." Also, a record was found that "John Hall of New Haven admitted Freeman in 1634." There is also the record that he joined the First Church of New Haven in 1646.

The names "Benton", "Walker" and "Hubbard" became connected with the family of "John Hall of New Haven" by marriage. Walker settled in New Haven, and his daughter married Samuel, John Hall's son. Mr. Benton, who afterwards became Governor of Rhode Island, and John Hall, were the great great grandfathers of Benton Hall of Wallingford. Hubbard settled in Middleton, and his descendants also intermarried with the Halls.

In 1669-70, the settlement of Wallingford, Connecticut was planned and John Hall, with three of his sons, Thomas, Samuel and John, Jr., were signers of the "First Covenant of Wallingford". Other names on the list, in our lineage, were Nathaniel Royce, and Robert Royce. Each received 8 acres. Roads were laid out 6 rods wide. The first town meeting was held on 6 April 1671. The first marriage recorded was in June, 1673 when Thomas Hall married Grace Watson. On February 15th, 1675, "The Congregational Church of Wallingford" was duly organized. John Hall, and John Hall, Jr. were on the committee.

John Hall's will appears on the records:

"John Hall, Sen., of Wallingford, his last will executed May 3, 1676, to wit. The testimony of Mr. Samuel Street, Samuel Hall, and Mary Hall, sayeth that about the time he fell sick, they heard him say, and he said to them, that he doubted not his wife's love and care of his children, and therefore, he would leave and dispose of the whole of his estate to his wife, not questioning but that his children would be satisfied therewith."

In 1639, few men, or women, knew how to read or write. Therefore, it should be with pride that we can say that John Hall's signature (not an X mark) is found on the Colonial Records of New Haven, Page #4, under date of 1639.

In 1633, probably on the "Griffin", a Mr. Wilkes came to America with his wife and several relatives, and settled in Boston. In Mr. Wilke's party, was a young English girl, Joan or Jeanne Wollen, supposed to be a niece or a cousin of Mrs. Wilkes. We find a record that in 1638 Jeanne goes, with Mrs. Wilkes, to New Haven. The next year, John Hall, Freeman of 1634, and the Pequot soldier of 1637, also appears in New Haven and makes settlement. He, not

long after, married Jeanne. She, for more than 30 years, "made him a true and faithful wife". She was well educated, and of good descent, her family entitled to bear the crest of a "demi-lion, between its paws a cushion tasseled". The precise date of marriage is uncertain. It was before July 3, 1644, for records of the court of that date show that "John Hall demanded 3 pounds due him from Roger Knap, in the right of his wife". Their first child was born July, 1645, and the next two were baptized August 1646.

When Jeanne came out with the Wilkes, they not only paid her passage, but promised her an allowance each year, and a "Marriage Portion", in case she would stay with them five years, which she agreed to do, and had done when they all removed to New Haven. Upon the settlement of the Wilkes Estate in 1647, Mr. Hall presented a claim in favor of his wife, for the amount of the Marriage Portion, which, after hearing proof, was allowed in court.

Children, - all born in New Haven, Conn.

- I. Richard, b. 11 July 1645, m. 1699 Hannah Miles, (da of Capt. John and Mary (Alsop) Miles)
- II. John, bapt. 9 Aug. 1646, m. 6 Dec. 1666, Mary Parker. She d. 22 Sept. 1725 and he d. 2 Sept. 1721.
- III. Sarah, bapt. 9 Aug. 1646, m. Dec. 1664, William Johnson of New Haven. They had 14 children.
- IV. Daniel, b. 1647, m. 1670 Mary Rutherford. He d. at Barbadoes, West Indies, 1675.
- V. Samuel, b. 21 May 1648, d. 5 Mch. 1725, aged 77. He m. in May, 1668 Hannah Walker, (Da of John Walker)
- VI. Thomas, b. 25 Mch. 1649, d. 17 Sept. 1731, aged 82., m. Grace Watson. She d. 1 May 1731
- VII. Jonathan, b. 5 Apr. 1651
- VIII. David, b. 18 Mch. 1652, d. 7 July 1727, aged 75, m. Sarah Rockwell 24 Dec. 1676. She d. 3 Nov. 1732
- IX. Mary, b. 1654, d. 31 May 1718 Wallingford, m. 30 Sept. 1678, Henry Cook, and had 11 children

Capt. SAMUEL HALL (son of John and Jeanne (Wollen) Hall) Bapt. New Haven, Conn., 21 May 1648, d. 5 Mch. 1725 Wallingford, Conn.

Married, May 1668

HANNAH WALKER (da of John and Grace Walker) b. 26 Sept. 1646, d. 20 Dec. 1728. They are both buried in Wallingford, Connecticut.

In 1669. Samuel, with his two brothers, John, and Thomas, signed the Covenant of the "First Planters of Wallingford", and removed there with their father in 1670. At the time of Samuel's death in 1725, he had become a large land holder, and had erected a mill at Wallingford, turning out the wooden plates and bowls used at that time. He was grandfather of Lyman Hall, the Governor of Georgia, and signer of the Declaration of Independence; and of Senator Samuel Holden Parsons Hall, of Binghamton, New York.

In 1696, Samuel Hall was Lt. of the Trainband, Ensign in 1699, and Captain in 1701. In King Phillips War, he was garrison at Purkapauge. He was also deputy to the General Court from 1698 to 1714, and Selectman in 1718. His occupation is given in the land records of 1713, as "Disturner". In 1691-2, the town of Wallingford, voted "Deacon Hall, ten shillings for turning ye ballisters for ye pues", and so his mill was equipped to do other than manufacture the plates and bowls.

Samuel Hall was held in high repute in his town, and often represented it in the Colonial Legislature. In 1718, when he was Selectman, he voted against the petition of "West Farms Cheshire" asking the legislature for liberty to be a village. Besides his land holdings in Wallingford, we find that in the vicinity of Meriden, he bought the "property of Thos. Judd of Waterbury, Conn., which property was afterward known as the "Thos Judd-Hall" (see Bronsons "History of Waterbury") The record is dated April 4, 1688, and concludes

"--- So ye this farm lyeth for 213 acres more or less"
(signed) Thos Curtis, Surveyor

His grandson, Caleb Doolittle (son of his daughter Hannah) was living with him March 23, 1723-4, - and was to "serve him until he was 21" (Wallingford Land Book 4, Page 394).

No record of a will has been found.

Children, - all born at Wallingford, Conn.

- I. John, b. 26 Dec. 1670, d. 1730 Wallingford, m. 8 Dec. 1792, Mary Lyman (2) Elizabeth Royce
- II. Hannah, b. 11 Mar. 1673-4, m. 6 Apr. 1697, Ebenezer Doolittle
- III. Sarah, b. 20 June 1677, d. 18 Mar. 1712
- IV. Samuel, b. 10 Dec. 1680, d. 15 June 1770 Wallingford m. 2 May 1704, Love Royce
- V. Theophilus, b. 5 Feb. 1685
- VI. Elizabeth, b. 6 Mar. 1690, m. 25 Feb. 1708 John Moss

Captain SAMUEL HALL, Jr. (son of Samuel and Hannah (Walker) Hall)
b. 10 Dec. 1680, d. 15 June 1770 aged 90, at Wallingford, Conn.

Married, 2 May 1704

LOVE ROYCE (da of Nathaniel and Sarah (Lathrop) Royce) b. 29 July 1687.

Samuel Hall, Jr., was Deputy from Wallingford to the General Court of Connecticut in October 1720, and served in that capacity at several subsequent sessions. He was Justice of the Peace, for New Haven County in 1730-31, 32, 36, 43, 57, 63 and in 1764. He was commissioned Lt in the East Company, or Trainband of Wallingford on October 13, 1726 by the General Court, and in October 1738, he was appointed Captain. He was referred to with the title of "Esquire".

In 1742, ten men from the neighboring town of Middletown, petitioned the General Court of the Colony, claiming that the Middletown-Wallingford line, recently established, permitted certain Wallingford proprietors, among them Samuel Hall, Esquire, to claim land formerly granted to the petitioners. Apparently the Wallingford proprietors answered the complaint satisfactorily, as the following record, dated May, 1742 appears in the Colonial Records of Connecticut (Vol. 8, page 470).

"ON the petition of John Bacon and others therein named of Middleton, vs. Samuel Hall, Esq., one of the proprietors of the common and undivided lands in the town of Wallingford, and the rest of the said proprietors as on file, - tho the question was put whether the prayer of said petitioners should be granted, - RESOLVED by the Assembly in the negative."

Some of his property came to him from his father-in-law, Nathaniel Royce, as we find in the following records in the Wallingford Land Books, #3, page 56; and #5, pages 76 and 134:

"Nathaniel Royce conveys land, 14 Sept. 1714, unto my two sons-in-law, - Samuel and John Hall, both of Wallingford"

"Nathaniel Royce, St., conveys land to his son-in-law Samuel Hall; 21 Sept. 1724, and to Samuel Hall and my daughter, Love Hall, 11 Nov. 1725.

In 1758 and 1759, Samuel Hall was deeply involved in a church dispute which attracted attention throughout the colony, and resulted in his excommunication by the New Haven Consociation, a body of ministers of the established (Congregational) Church, which helped to guide the religious affairs of the area, - to have a certain Mr. Dana, a pastor, removed. Samuel Hall's son, the Rev. Theophilus Hall, was a member of the Council of Ministers who ordained Mr. Dana, despite the Consociation's wish to postpone the ordination until the complaints of the opposition had been acted upon. Later, Theophilus was himself the object of a complaint by a part of his own congregation because of his action in inviting Mr. Dana to preach in Meriden. Samuel Hall, and the Pro-Dana faction in the Wallingford church, continued to retain the new minister, and through a committee, of which Samuel Hall was a member, denied the jurisdiction of the Consociation. Consequently, on April 3, 1759, the sentence of non-communion was declared against "Samuel Hall, Esq" and the rest of the said committee" and all those who acted with them. Nevertheless, Rev. Dana continued as pastor of the main church at Wallingford for many years.

Samuel Hall died June 15, 1770, at the age of 90. Inventory taken May 20, 1771, by Andrew Andrews and Benjamin Hall the 2nd, included, among other things, a "Best blue coat, Ditto Black, a Great Coat, Best red jacket, Ditto fustian, Box and wig, a negro man and a negro girl."

Samuel Hall's gravestone is still standing in Wallingford, and carries the following inscription:

"In Memory of Samuel Hall, Esq./ who departed this life/
June 15, 1770, in the 90th years of his age/ He was
a faithful man and feared/ God above many/ Nehm VII-2"

The date of Love (Royce) Hall's death is not known, but it was after 1725 when her father deeded property to her. She is referred to as "Samuel Hall's first wife, and mother of all of his children", and so it is assumed that he married again. One writer mentions a girl by the name of Bridget, but no record is found concerning a second marriage.

Children, - all born at Wallingford, Conn.

- I. Theophilus, b. 1 Apr. 1707, m. 22 May 1734, Hannah Avery
- II. Samuel, b. 8 June 1709, d. 24 Dec. 1782, m. 27 Dec. 1732, Sarah Hull
- III. Hannah, b. 15 July, 1711, m. 5 June 1734, John Street
- IV. Sarah, b. 6 Dec. 1713, m. 21 Feb. 1733, Samuel Hull
- V. Mehitabel, b. 25 Apr. 1716
- VI. Esther, b. 7 Nov. 1719.

Rev. THEOPHILUS HALL (son of Capt. Samuel and Love (Royce) Hall)
b. 1 Apr. 1707, Wallingford, Conn., d. 23 Mch. 1767
Meriden, Conn.

Married, 22 May 1734

HANNAH AVERY of Groton (da of Capt. James and Mary (Griswold) Avery) b. 7 Apr. 1712, Groton, d. 1784 Meriden Conn.

Theophilus Hall was a Yale graduate in 1727. He was ordained pastor October 29, 1729, the Ordination Sermon being preached by Rev. Samuel W. Hittlessey of the Mother Church in Wallingford Conn.

North of Wallingford, a settlement, known as "Meriden" grew up. By 1724 the number of families had increased to 35, and the need of a church was felt. In 1725 a 30 foot square simple church was built near "Dogs Misery", - a wild section of wilderness, with good hunting, but filled with burrs and bramble. In December 1728, Theophilus began preaching, and in 1729 the congregation was duly organized. Original members included the Halls and many of the Royce family, relations of his mother. For 28 years, services were held in the original structure. In 1753, Theophilus donated a small tract of land for a new structure, and continued his ministry there until his death, completing 37 years in the one church. He appears to have been a popular preacher, and apparently retained the loyalty of the majority of his congregation during the entire period of his pastorate. However, opposition arose upon at least two occasions, - first, regarding Rev. Dana, as related above in his father's record, - the second upon another occasion when he aroused the opposition of some of the Meriden church members by giving the tract of land for the erection of the new church, they claiming that it furthered his personal interests.

According to the Rev. G.W. Perkin's "History of Meriden", published in 1849. Rev. Hall's salary, as minister, amounted to about 50 pounds a year (about \$175.00 in Colonial currency). The Probate Records of his estate indicated that he died possessed of about 700 acres of land in Wallingford, Farmington, and North Killingworth, - and 5 slaves. Upon his death, the following article was written:

"He was a man of small stature but possessed of much dignity of manner, united with the greatest affability, persuaded of the truth of Christianity and deeply sensible of its importance, - and was well able to defend it. His sermons were ably written and delivered with great fervor. His pastoral visits were frequent and conducted judiciously. During his ministry of 37 years in Meriden, 250 were added to the church. He possessed great firmness of character and was a zealous advocate of civil and religious liberty. He published two sermons on the death of "Rev. Isaac Stiles", two on "Faith" and one on the Ordination of Mathew Morrison of Berwick, Maine". His grave is in the Wallingford-Meriden Cemetery, and is marked by a monument erected by his devoted friends."

The monument bore the following inscription:

"In memory/ of / Theophilus Hall / Pastor of the church, who, having for thirty-seven/ years discharged the duties of his function with / distinguished fidelity, and accomplished/ Christian life, the uniform disciple/ of Jesus Christ. / Deceased March 23d, 1767 in the Sixtieth year/ of his age. / "They that be wise shall shine as the brightness of / the firmament.".

The land for the Wallingford-Meriden Cemetery was given by Rev. John Hubbard, who married one of the Hall girls.

Children, - all born at Meriden, Conn.

- I. Hannah, b. 11 March 1735, d. 15 Aug. 1753. Bur. New London Connecticut
- II. Theophilus, b. 5 Aug. 1736, d. 9 May 1739
- III. Avery, b. 2 Dec. 1737, graduate of Yale 1759, 2nd in his class. Called "Albericus" in Yale Catalog. Minister at Rochester, N.H., retired and became Selectman of Wakefield in 1779, 81, 85, and large land holder.
- IV. Samuel, b. 16 July 1739, d. 29 Mch. 1791, m. Eunice Lee.
- V. Theophilus, b. 26 Aug. 1741, d. 1804, m. 1768 Elizabeth Couch.
- VI. Lucy (a twin) b. 26 Aug. 1741, m. James Hough
- VII. Mary, b. 24 June, 1743
- VIII. Elisha, b. 3 March 1745, d. 8 Aug. 1746
- IX. Eunice, b. 3 Mch. 1745 (a twin) d. 7 Oct. 1800, m. Dr. Andrew Lee, brother of Eunice Lee who married Samuel Hall.
- X. Mehitabel, bapt. 7 Aug. 1748, d. 1748
- XI. Mehitabel, b. 18 Aug. 1751, d. 1767
- XII. Elisha, bapt. 22 May 1755, d. 2 June 1755.

SAMUEL HALL (son of Rev. Theophilus and Hannah (Avery) Hall)
 b. 16 July 1739 at Meriden, Conn. d. 29 Mch. 1791
 Married, 10 Feb. 1757
 EUNICE LEE (da of Capt. John Lee, Jr., and Abigail (Tulley) Lee)
 b. 14 Jan. 1743, Lyme, Conn. d. 20 Mch. 1790 of
 small pox.

Samuel Hall served in the Revolution, - his war record is on file in "Connecticut Men in the Revolution". He served as a Sargent in Capt. Couch's Company, from the Meriden Parish in the Lexington Alarm.

D.A.R. Memberships, thru Samuel, were obtained by Annie Warwick Hall, (da of Rev. Chas. Howard Hall); by Annie Sophia Duffy and her sister Ethel; by Mary Ethel Hall (da of Joseph Jr.) and by Catherine Hall Cronin (da. of Avon Stacy Hall).

All "Hall" ancestry writers stop with glowing accounts of Samuel's father, Rev. Theophilus, - nothing has been found about Samuel. We have a record of his children in the family bible with no further information. Research will have to be done to locate the place of his death, and an account of his life. Since his war record in 1775 was from the "Meriden Parish" it is assumed that he lived in Meriden, and his children born there.

Children

- I. Samuel, b. 27 May 1759
- II. Eunice, b. 16 Apr. 1765, - Died young
- III. Lee, b. 9 Nov. 1768
- IV. Eunice, b. 22 June, 1770
- V. Elihu
- VI. William
- VII. Lucy
- VIII. Fanny
- IX. John Hubbard; b. 12 Apr. 1788

JOHN HUBBARD HALL (son of Samuel and Eunice (Lee) Hall) b. at Meriden, Conn. 12 Apr. 1788, d. 20 Sept. 1867
 Fayetteville, N.C.

Married (1), 22 Aug. 1813

MARY CORNWELL (da of Lt. Nathaniel and Mary (Mildrum) Cornwell)
 b. 31 Aug. 1787, Westfield, Conn. d. 26 Sept. 1836
 Fayetteville, N.C. Buried there in Cross Creek Cemt.

Married (2) Nov. 1837, Mary Jane Chambers, b. 1 Jan. 1808, d. 16 Oct. 1846

Married (3) 9 Aug. 1849, Mrs. Margaret McRae O'Hanlon, b. 19 Jan. 1806, d. 3 Apr. 1861

Married (4), 13 Jan. 1864, Susan Evans.

John Hubbard Hall was only two years old when his mother died, and only three when his father died. It is not known who raised him, - perhaps one of his older brothers or sister. He was evidently raised in Connecticut, as his wife was from Connecticut and his first four children were born there. Between 1819 and 1820

he, and his wife, Mary Cornwell Hall, and presumably the four children, moved to Fayetteville, North Carolina. Why they left Connecticut is not known, but in Fayetteville they established deep roots, and all of his sixteen children settled in the south, - except our ancestor, John Hubbard, Jr., who returned to Connecticut, to Meriden for college, and then on to New York.

This geneology has been taken from a photostat copy of the Records of John Hubbard Hall, Sr., in the Hall Bible of Fayetteville, N.C., now in the hands of Eunice R. (Mrs. J.T.) Gardner, Shelby, N.C. Included in these records, is the incomplete record of Samuel and Eunice (Lee) Hall. This was copied into the Fayetteville Bible, from a bible which belonged to Samuel Jr., passed on to Elihu of "Predy Nolly, Oneida County, N.Y." and then on to Charles Hall of the same town (Dec. 8, 1865). It was copied into the Fayetteville Bible in John Hall, Jr.'s writing. Photostat copies of the John Hubbard Hall Bible Records are on file with the New England Historical and Geneology Society, Boston, and with the Connecticut Historical Society, Hartford, Conn. Records of many of the "North Carolina Halls" families are also on file.

Mrs. Agnes (Hall) Andrews (da. of Avon Stacy Hall) made a trip to Fayetteville, North Carolina in 1950, and from Cross Creek Cemetery records, she was able to fill in many of the dates not recorded in the bible. Here is an excerpt from one of her letters telling about the trip:

"The North Carolina people said that John Hubbard Hall, Sr., was a big, stern forbidding person. I saw a portrait of him, and he did look so. He had a factory of some sort, - was quite well "fixed". At Cross Creek Cemetery, most of the markers were rather close together. The third wife's grave was in her father's lot, and the fourth wife's grave was not found. The sixteenth child was buried at John Hubbard Hall's head. The daughter, Eunice Frances, who married Rev. James Stacy, was buried right beside him.

"We visited an old man, living alone in two rooms of a big old house. He was writing a history of the Methodist Conference, and knew the whole Hall clan well. He said that he thought Rev. Charles Howard Hall was the "cream of the crop, and the most loved by the mob." During the Civil War, Charles Howard Hall was imprisoned in West Virginia in 1862. He had a church in Baltimore at one time."

On the last page of the Bible Record, probably written by Egbert Cornwell Hall, who continued to make the entrees after his father's death, appears the following:

"Our father, John H. Hall, died Sept. 20, 1867, in his eightieth year, having been a member of the M. E. Church forty five years. His last thought in dying, as was his constant thought in living, was Christ, and the hope of heaven. His sickness was of one week's duration, and he breathed his last, surrounded by most of his children. Our mother, Mary Hall, breathed her last, September 26, 1836, after a brief illness, in the hope of a glorious resurrection."

That John Hubbard Hall led an exemplary life is evidenced by this tribute, and by the fact that at least three of his sons became ministers, and that one of his daughters married a minister. For the grandson of Rev. Theophilus Hall to carry on the family name in such a manner, must have been rewarding.

The Hall homeplace covered 13 acres, - on which the Fayetteville High School and the Athletic Field now stand. With sixteen children, perhaps it was not too large.

Children: First 11 by his first wife; next 3 by the second wife, and last two by his fourth

First 4 born in Meriden, Conn., and remaining ones in Fayetteville, North Carolina

1. Egbert Cornwell b. 27 May 1814, d. 9 May 1857 Fayetteville m. 4 Mar. 1845, Susan Hawley Hodges of Norfolk Va. She was b. 22 May 1820, d. 17 Jan. 1897, Red Springs, N.C.

Children

1. George Hodges, b. 30 Sept. 1847, d. 21 May, 1932, Fayetteville, N.C., m. Delia Woodward, b. 18 Apr. 1863, d. 21 Sept. 1945. Col. Geo. H. Hall enlisted, age 16, in Co. B. 13 Bat. of the N.C. Light Infantry. (Civil War) He made his home in Red Springs. He was Representative from Robeson County, in N.C. Legislature in 1903. They had George H. Jr., James, Charles, David, William, and Alice (who was working in the Lumberton Court House in 1950).
 2. Julia Brown
 3. Sarah Fannie, who m. A. B. Pearsall. They had (a) Georgia, who m. W. C. Hearne (living 1950 Greenville N.C.) (b) Sallie, who m. Mr. Duncan, living in Red Springs, N.C. (c) Eunice and (d) Allison.
 4. Eunice Lucille, m. Dec. 1876 Harvey E. Moore. She d. 3 June, 1888. They had a son, a doctor, in Charlotte, N.C. in 1950.
 5. Susan and
 6. Egbert, twins who died in infancy.
 11. Mary Lucy b. 13 Mar. 1816, Bapt. 13 Oct. 1822, d. 27 Sept. 1877, m. 28 May 1831, George Atkins, who d. 27 Nov. 1842
- Children
1. Marie b. 28 Sept. 1832, m. B. F. Pearce. Their children (a) Mary H, m. 14 Dec. 1887 P. T. Hasty (b) Ruth O., m. 24 Dec. 1879 J. W. Klorpp
 2. Amelia, b. 21 Oct. 1834, m. A. J. O'Hanlon. Their children (a) Minnie, m. 20 Jan. 1887 A. H. Phillips
 3. George B. Jr., b. 22 Nov. 1838, m. Eugenia Perry. He died 18 Jan. 1867, Wilmington, N. C.
111. Francis Caroline, b. 5 May 1818, d. 22 May 1821
 - IV. Rev. John Hubbard, Jr., b. 24 Oct. 1819, d. 9 Feb. 1886, Cazenovia, New York. (see below in next record)

V. Rev. Avon Elihu b. 31 Dec. 1820, d. after 1871, m. 22 Dec.

1847 Margaret Bell

Children

1. Mary Agnes, b. 28 Nov. 1848, d. Jan. 1904 Wilmington, N.C.

m. 1871 Henry C. McQueen, b. 16 July 1846,
Lumberton Co. N.C. He served in the 1st
N.C. Battery Wounded 16 July 1865 at
Ft. Fisher. President several banks.

2. Margaret Bell, b. 27 Feb. 1851, m. Spencer Curry.

3. John H. b. 16 June 1853

4. William Bell, twin, b. 16 June 1853

5. Alice Lee, b. 16 Apr. 1857, m. John Elliott. They had
(a) William Elliott living in Florence and
(b) a son, a physician in Charlotte

6. Avon Elihu, b. 18 Mar. 1866.

VI. Eunice Francis b. 14 Sept. 1822, d. 2 May 1892. Buried
Cross Creek Cemetery, Fayetteville. m. 21 Dec. 1842
Rev. James Stacy, b. 18 Nov. 1808, Lincoln Co. N.C.
d. 1 May 1868, Fayetteville.

Children

1. Mary Ann, b. 13 Feb. 1846, m. 21 Dec. 1881, W.B. McKay

VII. Henry b. 30 Apr. 1824, d. 1825

VIII. Hiram, b. 30 Apr. 1824, d. 30 Apr. 1824.

IX. Henry Gilbert b. 2 Jan. 1826, d. 16 Apr. 1908, Shelby, N.C.
Married 2 Jan. 1851, Emily Belden Robinson,
b. 31 Aug. 1831, d. 2 May 1912, Shelby, N.C. (da of
Dr. Benj. and Eliza (Pearce) Robinson)

Children

1. Rev. Benjamin, b. 25 Sept. 1851, d. 20 Feb. 1903, buried
Cross Creek Cemetery, m. 28 Apr. 1876, Fannie
Olivia Stedman. They had (a) Rev. Benj. R. Jr.
b. 22 Mar. 1881, d. 5 Nov. 1905.

2. Edward Hale, b. 9 Jan. 1853, d. 1913, m. 30 Jan. 1884
Sallie Sharpe

3. Rev. Herman R. b. 19 Feb. 1855, d. 2 Feb. 1923,
m. 11 Apr. 1883 Meta Huske, b. 7 Apr. 1855,
d. 14 Sept. 1907. Both buried Cross Creek Cemt.

4. Rev. John H., b. 2 Jan. 1858, d. 15 Dec. 1925, m. 26 Dec.
1883, Ida Holland.

5. Eliza West, b. 16 Aug. 1860, d. 10 Sept. 1940, Shelby, N.C.
M. 20 Jan. 1886 Charles Preyer Roberts. They
had (2) Eunice Hall, b. 10 Nov. 1886, m. 21 July
1923 Junius Talmadge Gardner (adopted a son
naming him James Hall Gardner, b. 1 May 1925)
(b) Rufus Gilbert, b. 21 Dec. 1888, m. Elizabeth
French Strother 25 Aug. 1917 (They had Letitia
Strother, b. 16 Aug. 1921; Rufus Gilbert II,
b. 23 June 1923; and Elizabeth French, b. 2 Jan.
1928) (c) Charles Preyer II, b. 6 Mar. 1891,
m. 13 Apr. 1921, Lila Elizabeth Dover (They had
Elizabeth, b. 1 Feb. 1923; Jean Ray, b. 5 Feb.
1925; Charles Preyer III, b. 23 Sept. 1927; and
William Franklin, b. 13 June 1931) (d) Benjamin
Robinson, b. 27 July, 1893, m. Dec. 1919 Louise Harris

(They had Jean Robinson, b. 8 Dec. 1927; and Mary Louise, b. Aug. 1930) (e) Sarah Emily b. 28 Feb. 1898; m. 5 Nov. 1920 Herman Eskeridge (f) Ruth, b. 23 Sept. 1899, m. 18 June 1927 Robert Gaston Liner.

- X. Eliza, b. 29 April 1829, d. 29 April, 1829
 XI. Rev. Charles Howard, b. 13 Apr. 1831, Bapt. by B.H. Cofey January 7, ? d. 20 Aug. 1900, Hannit Co. N.C. He was a Methodist minister in the south, m. Annie Sophia Duffey, b. 1835, d. 1899

Children

1. John Howard, b. 3 Dec. 1855, m. Margaret Bayne
2. Annie Warwick, b. 15 Mar. 1858, Lynchburg, Va. m. 20 Apr. 1875 Richard Beale Davis, b. 1845, d. 1917. She was a member of the D.A.R.
3. Charles Carter, b. 9 Oct. 1860, d. 6 Aug. 1862
4. Lucy Lee, b. 11 Sept. 1863, d. 6 Sept. 1864
5. Ethel, b. 6 June 1867, Baltimore Md. DAR Member
6. Charles Herbert, a twin, d. Aug. 1872
7. Rose Mary, b. 1872, m. Dr. Victor M. Epps.
- XII. Wilbur G. b. 4 Dec. 1841, d. 1913 Fayetteville, N.C. m. 31 Dec. 1868 Olivia P. Steedman, b. 1847, d. 1922 Fayetteville, N.C.

Children

1. Olivia Robbie, b. 21 Sept. 1873, d. 13 Aug. 1938, Fayetteville, N.C.
2. Wilbur Douglas, b. 1877, d. 1916, Fayetteville m. - ? They had (a) John P. b. 1 Sept. 1890, d. 8 Nov. 1938 (b) Ormand Porterfield, b. 1911, d. 1913 (c) Wilbur Adolphus, b. 17 July 1911, d. 24 Dec. 1924, - all at Fayetteville, N.C.
- XIII. Samuel Lee, b. 15 Apr. 1844, d. 1875, m. Mamie Herndon
- XIV. Joseph J. b. 15 Oct. 1846 (his mother died the same day) m. 1881 Elizabeth Hartman, b. 1855.

Children

1. Mary Ethel, b. Wilson, S.C., m. S.L. Lupfer, Member DAR
- XV. Joshua Stanley, b. 19 May 1865, d. 30 June 1889, Fayetteville, N.C.
- XVI. Sallie G., b. 14 June 1867, d. 22 Oct. 1873 (There is no entry in the Fayetteville Bible for her. She was born just before her father died. Her grave is at the head of her father, and the marker reads, "Deu. of John H. and Susan Hall").

Rev. JOHN HUBBARD HALL, JR. (son of John Hubbard and Mary (Cornwell) Hall) b. 24 Oct. 1819, Meriden, Conn., d. 9 Feb. 1886, Cazenovia, N.Y.

Married, 10 June 1844

JULIA ANN GILLESPIE (da of Walter and Julia (Bush) Gillespie) b. 24 Sept. 1822, Clinton, Oneida Co. N.Y. d. 1894 Cazenovia, N.Y.

Rev. John Hubbard Hall, Jr., was the only one of his father's sixteen children to go back to Connecticut, from North Carolina. (if he ever left). He probably lived with some aunt or uncle. He was a graduate of the University Wesleyan, Middletown, Conn., in 1841, and he received his Doctor's in 1844. His diplomas are in the possession of his granddaughter, Catherine (Hall) Cronin, Chicago (1960). Rev. John Hall, jr., was the Pastor of the North Central Conference of the Methodist Church, of New York.

Children:

- I. Mary Frances, b. 27 Apr. 1845, New Hartford, N.Y. d. 1848.
Buried at Clinton, N.Y.
- II. Emma Marie, b. 30 Nov. 1843, New Woodstock, N.Y. d. 1932, Rome, Italy. Buried in the Methodist Cemetery there. She served as a missionary of the Methodist Church in Rome, and later as a director of a Girl's school there. She adopted an Italian baby girl and raised and educated her. She and the child came to Chicago to visit Avon, her brother about 1900. The child married in Rome and had several children. About 1925 she stole everything Emma had, and disappeared.
- III. Ellen Amelia (Nellie) b. 20 Aug. 1852, Fly Creek, N.Y. d. 26 Dec. 1923, Colorado Springs, Colo., m. about 1880 Rev. Charles E. Havens, b. Shelter Island, N.Y., d. about 1900, Colorado Springs, Colorado, where they had gone for his health. Children: Ralph, a successful Engineer in the east, Elloine Lucille, a teacher in Colorado Springs, Leon a successful scientist, a research bacteriologist, and Maurice his twin, who died in Colorado Springs when a young man in an accident while playing with dynamite.
- IV. Arthur Gillespie, b. 12 Nov. 1856, Clinton, N.Y. d. unm. 31 March, 1883, Oberlin Ohio, - killed in a chemistry lab. accident at Oberlin College. He was buried, Clinton, N.Y. in the Hall-Gillespie lot.
- V. Avon Stacy, b. 15 June, 1860, Verona, N.Y. d. 25 Jan. 1928, Chicago, Ill. Buried Mt. Hope Cemetery, Chicago, Ill.

AVON STACY HALL (son of Rev. John Hubbard, Jr. and Julia (Gillespie) Hall), b. 15 June, 1860, Verona, N.Y. d. 25 Jan. 1928, Chicago, Ill. Buried Mt. Hope Cemetery, Chicago, Ill.

Married, 17 August, 1885, Oswego, New York, by Rev. John Hubbard Hall, Jr., (his father) and Rev. Charles E. Havens (husband of his sister)

CARRIE I. WILMOT (da of Charles Tracy and Catherine (North) Wilmot) b. 2 Nov. 1858, Ann Arbor, Michigan, d. 12 November 1947, Chicago, Ill. Buried Mt. Hope Cemetery, Chicago.

Avon Stacy Hall, our father, entered Michigan University from the Detroit High School in 1880, and took his A.B. degree in 1884. His sister, Emma Marie was in Detroit, and evidently Avon was living with her. It was she who advanced his college expenses, over and above what he was able to earn. While he was in college, he planned to become a Methodist minister, but at the time he was graduated, there was no position open, and, as he wanted to be married at once, he took the position as principal at Cadillac Michigan. He was a member of the Delta Upsilon Fraternity at the University of Michigan. When he finished college, he owed Emma \$2000.00, but none the less, he married at once. Of course, even as if today, there was considerable eyebrow lifting, and there was a little hard feeling but, as is so often the case, Emma was doubly repaid in later years.

He was Principal and Superintendent of Schools at Cadillac Michigan for six years, and then in 1890 he was offered a position as Principal of Calumet High School, Morgan Park, Illinois. He accepted this position, and moved his family to Morgan Park. At that time he definitely gave up the idea of becoming a minister, and decided to devote his life to educational work. A few years later, Morgan Park was annexed to Chicago, and Calumet High School became a member of the Chicago Board of Education. In 1894 the house at Morgan Park became crowded with the three children, and he had the opportunity to buy the house in Auburn Park, 7700 Union Avenue, within walking distance of Calumet. His mother died at this time, and Avon's share of her estate was the "downpayment" on 7700 Union Avenue.

He was Principal of Calumet High School for twenty three years, and then was transferred to Medill High School, where he remained until his death, - rounding out forty four years as Principal. At Medill High School, at 14th and Throop Streets, Chicago, he originated the first Junior College education offered by the Chicago Board of Education, and so Medill became a grammar school, a high school, and a Junior College, all under one roof. He was very much interested in the children at Medill, who, at that time were mostly the first American born of Russian Jews. He helped many of the fathers in their problems of adjusting to America, and taught them English in the Night School. He felt that his experience at Medill was so well worth while.

He was an active member of the Michigan University Alumni, being president of the Chicago Chapter in 1920-21; also in the Chicago Principal's Club, president of that one year; and also in the National Educational Association. He was also a member of the Hamilton Club for a number of years, - a downtown social club with a Republican background.

Children

- I. Arthur Gillespie, b. 14 Feb. 1888, Cadillac Mich.
- II. Charles Hubbard, b. 21 Oct. 1889, Morgan Park, Ill.
- III. Agnes Wilmot, b. 18 July, 1892, Morgan Park
- IV. Catherine North, b. 29 April, 1898, Chicago, Ill.

JOHN WALKER, born in England, d. in 1651, probably in New Haven
Connecticut.

Married

GRACE _____

John Walker, the immigrant, came to America in 1633, and was admitted as Freeman in Boston, Mass., at the General Court held May 14, 1634, - at the same time with John Hall. For some reason he was disarmed in 1637, fled to Rhode Island in 1638, and finally settled in New Haven, Connecticut in 1639. After John Walker's death in 1651, his wife Grace, married Edward Watson, on July 1, 1652. She had a daughter by this union, named Grace Watson, who married Thomas Hall, son of John, and brother of Samuel who married her half-sister, Hannah Walker. The marriage of Grace Watson and Thomas Hall was the first marriage recorded in Wallingford, Conn. We have the record of only the one daughter of John Walker and Grace

Children

1. Hannah, bapt. 27 Sept. 1646, m. May 1668 Samuel Hall.

HANNAH WALKER (da of John and Grace Walker) bapt. 27 Sept. 1646,
New Haven, Conn. d. 20 Dec. 1728, Wallingford,
Connecticut

Married, 2 May, 1668

SAMUEL HALL (son of John and Janne (Wollen) Hall) bapt. 21 May
1648, New Haven, Conn., d. 5 Mar. 1725,
Wallingford, Connecticut.

See HALL Line

ROBERT ROYCE, born Sommersetshire, England, 1605, d. 1676 at
New London, Conn.

Married, 4 June 1624, England

MARY SIMS, born in England about 1609, d. Wallingford, Conn., 1696.

Robert Royce, with his wife Mary, came to America on the ship "Francis" from Ipswich in 1634. They had been married ten years, but no mention is made that they brought any children with them. His name is found in the records of Stratford Connecticut in 1644, and in New London in 1657. You will note that he died in New London in 1676 and that his wife lived twenty years after his death. She died in Wallingford, Conn., but no record has been found that she married again. Our line is brought down through two of the sons, who married sisters, - Nathaniel who married Sara Lathrop and Isaac who married Elizabeth, - Nathaniel to the Hall Line and Isaac to the North.

Children

1. Joshua, b. 14 Apr. 1637
- II. Nathaniel, bapt. 24 Mar. 1639, d. 8 Feb. 1736, m. (3)
Sara Lathrop
- III. Patience, b. 1 Apr. 1642, d. Apr. 1642
- IV. Ruth, b. _____, / 15 Dec. 1669, John Lathrop, who was bapt.
7 Dec. 1645
- V. Sarah, b. 1634, d. 1 May 1711, m. 1657 John Caulkins
He d. 3 Jan. 1702
- VI. Nehemiah, b. 1634, Boston, Mass. d. 7 Nov. 1706
Wallingford, Conn. m (1) Hannah Morgan, m (2) Esther
- VII. Samuel, b. 1640 m. 1 Jan. 1667 Hannah Church
- VIII. Isaac, bapt. 1648, m. Elizabeth Lathrop
- IX. Jonathan, b. _____ d. 1690 Norwich, m. Debora Caulkins.

Ensign NATHANIEL ROYCE (son of Robert and Mary (Sims) Royce) bapt.
probably Stratford, Conn., 24 Mar. 1639, d. 8 Feb.
1736 at Wallingford, Conn.

Married (1) Abigail Hoyt

Married (2) Bridget _____

Married (3) 21 April, 1681

SARAH LATHROP (da of Samuel and Elizabeth (Scudder) Lathrop)
b. Oct. 1655.

Ensign Nathaniel Royce of Wallingford, received three separate grants of land at "Dog's Misery" described as lying by the southern branch of Pilgrims Harbor (brook) that being the name of the whole stream, from its mouth up to the pond whence it flowed. In 1700 a daughter of Nathaniel Royce, received, as her portion, $3\frac{1}{2}$ acres of "Dog's Misery". It acquired this name because part of the land was on a mirey jungle so overgrown with tangle of thorns and bushes, that when the wild animals sought refuge therein, and the dogs followed, they stood no chance when their chase turned upon them. It is not recorded how he came to

receive these grants of land, but it is probable, since he was given the title of "Ensign" that he fought in the Indian Wars and was given this land for this reason. It is also believed that he had numerous children by his first and second wives, but we are listing only those of his third wife, our ancestress.

Children

1. Love (Louise) b. 29 July 1687, Wallingford, m. Samuel Hall.
11. Elizabeth, b. 28 Dec. 1689, Wallingford, m. 28 June, 1707, John Hall.

LOVE ROYCE (da of Nathaniel and Sarah (Lathrop) Royce) b. 29 July 1687, Wallingford, Conn.

Married, 2 May, 1704

SAMUEL HALL (son of Samuel and Hannah (Walker) Hall), b. 10 Dec. 1680, d. 15 June, 1770.

See HALL Line

Rev. JOHN LATHROP (Lothrop, Lothrop, Lowthoppe) (son of Thomas
and his second wife Mary (?) Lowthoppe)
bapt. 20 Dec. 1584, Eton, Yorkshire, England,
d. 8 Nov. 1653, prob. Barnstable, Mass.
Married in England

Rev. John Lathrop was educated at Queen's College, Cambridge, receiving his B.A. in 1605 and M.A. in 1609. He was Curate at Edgerton (Parish Church) Lathe of Scray, County Kent. Later he was pastor of the first Independent Church of England. On the 22nd of April, 1632, he, with others of this church were arrested and imprisoned in the Old Clink Prison, Newgate. In 1635, he with his wife and child, and several of his parishoners, sailed for America on the "Griffin" to Boston. He was the "First Minister" of Scituate, Mass., and later at Barnstable, Mass. He evidently was an advocate of freedom in religion. We do not know whether he found it in America, as no account has been found of his life here.

Children:

1. Samuel, born about 1620, England.

SAMUEL LATHROP (son of Rev. John Lathrop) born about 1620, England,
d. 1701, New London, Conn.

Married, 28 Nov. 1644, Barnstable, Mass.,

ELIZABETH SCUDDER (da. of Thomas and Rachel, or Elizabeth
Scudder). She died before 1690.

Married (2) in 1690, Abigail Doone, b. 1622, d. 1734.

Samuel came to America when he was about 15 years of age, with his father and mother, and was raised in Scituate, Mass., and then Barnstable, where he married. Three of his children married children of Robert Royce, who lived in New London, so we can safely assume that Samuel moved to New London, Connecticut in the 1650s. We know that he died there in 1701. What his occupation or education has not been recorded.

Children:

- I. John, Bapt. 7 Dec. 1645, m. Ruth Royce
- II. Elizabeth, b. Mar. 1648, m. 15 Dec. 1669, Isaac Royce.
- III. Samuel, b. 1650
- IV. Sarah, b. Oct. 1655, m. 21 Apr. 1681, Ensign Nathaniel Royce
- V. Martha, b. Jan. 1657
- VI. Isreal
- VII. Joseph, b. Oct. 1661
- VIII. Abigail, b. May 1665
- IX. Ann, b. 7 Aug. 1667.

SARAH LATHROP (da. of Samuel and Elizabeth (Scudder) Lathrop)
b. Oct. 1655

Married, 21 Apr. 1681

Ensign NATHANIEL ROYCE (son of Robert and Mary (Sims) Royce)
bapt. 24 Mar. 1639

Sarah Lathrop was the third wife of Ensign Nathaniel Royce, who was sixteen years her senior. The records show that they had only two daughters, born six and eight years after they were married. Both of these girls married sons of Samuel and Hannah (Walker) Hall.

See ROYCE Line

CHRISTOPHER AVERY, born in England, 1590, d. New London, Conn.,
and buried 12 March, 1670

Married 16 Aug. 1616 at Ippleden, Devonshire, England.

MARGARET STEPHENS (da of Edward and Margaret Stephens of
Kingsweard). (Edward was a Mariner and died 1626

Christopher Avery came to America either on the Ship "Arabella" with Gov. Winthrop landing in Salem, Mass., on June 12, 1630; or he came with the younger Winthrop in 1631. He left his wife in England, but brought his son James with him. He is first found at Cape Ann, Mass., and later at Gloucester, Mass., where he was a Selectman in 1646, 1652, and 1654. In 1656 he sold lands in Gloucester, and removed to Boston, where, on the 16th of March, 1658-9, he purchased a small lot about 26' x 46'. It was located in what is now the enter of the Post Office Building, facing Devonshire Street. The famous old spring, which gave the name to "Spring Lane", and even now preserved under the Post Office, was nereby to Christopher's home, and he no doubt used it way back in 1658. Christopher, however, did not long retain this property, for on the 22nd of March 1663, he sold the land to Ambrose Dew for forty pounds. He now followed his son to Connecticut, and on Aug. 8, 1665, he purchased a house, orchard, and lot in Groton, Conn., and was made Freeman of the Colony in October, 1669. We have record of only the one child, James, but there may be others that he left in England with his wife.

Children, born in England

1. James, born 1620, d. 18 April 1700, Groton, Conn.

Capt. JAMES AVERY (son of Christopher and Margaret (Stephens) Avery) b. 1620, England, d. 18 April 1700, Groton, Conn.

Married (1) Boston, Mass., 10 Nov. 1643

JOANNA GREENSLADE (da. of Thomas) born about 1622, d. after 1693.

Married (2) Mrs. Abigail (Ingraham) Cheesbrough,
widow of Joshua Holmes, on July 4, 1698.

She was living as late as 1714.

Capt. James Avery, the only child of Christopher, and properly the founder of the family that is called the "Groton Averys", settled first in Gloucester, Mass., where his first three children were born; then in New London, Conn.; and finally in Groton, Conn. He was given a grant of land, 19 Oct. 1650, at Cape Ann Lane and in 1652 a farm in Groton. He was the Pequot Arbitrator and Adjustments Officer. In 1678 the Commissioners granted Capt. James Avery 5 pounds for his good services in assisting the government of the Pequots for sundry past years. He was elected 12 times to the General Court, from 1658 to 1680. He was a member of the Congregational Church. The house that Capt. James Avery built in Groton in 1656, was occupied by eight successive generations of Averys. It was burnt to the ground on the night of July 20th, 1894. He was a soldier in King Philips War in 1675 (see "Soldiers of King Philips War" by Budge, page 467) and Captain of the Train Band of New London in May 1681 (see "Register of Connecticut Society of Colonial Dames of America," Page 212)

Avery memorial, in Groton, erected by the descendants of Capt. James Avery, on his homestead of 1656, stands today (1960) on Route US I. Descendants John D. Rockefeller and Bela Lyon Pratt donated and designed the shaft.

Children

- I. Hannah b. 11 Oct. 1644, m. 20 June 1666 Epharam Miner
- II. James, b. 15 Dec. 1646, m. 18 Feb. 1669, Deborah Sterling (Stallyon)
- III. Mary, b. 19 Feb. 1648, m. 28 Oct. 1668, Joseph Miner. She d. 2 Feb. 1708.
- IV. Thomas, b. 6 May 1651, m. 22 Oct. 1677, Hannah Miner, and (2) Hannah Bulkeley. He d. 5 Jan. 1737 Probably born New London, Conn.
- V. John, b. 10 Feb. 1654, m. 29 Nov. 1675 Abigail Cheesbrough, the daughter of his father's second wife.
- VI. Rebecca, b. 6 Oct. 1656, m. 5 Aug. 1678, William Potts.
- VII. Jonathan, b. 5 Jan. 1658, d. 15 Sept. 1681
- VIII. Christopher, b. 30 Apr. 1661, d. 5 Dec. 1683.
- IX. Samuel, b. 16 Aug. 1664, m. 25 Oct. 1686, Susannah Palms. He d. 1 May 1723.

JAMES AVERY (son of Capt. James and Joanna (Greenslade) Avery)
born at Gloucester, Mass. 15 Dec. 1646, d. 22 Aug. 1728
Groton, Conn.,
Married, 20 Feb. 1669, New London, Conn.

DEBORAH STERLING ((Stallyon) (da. of Edward Stallyon, who
d. 14 May 1703) She d. 27 March 1729

James Avery, like his father, was a distinguished man, and settled in Groton, where his thirteen children were born, and where he died. He may have first settled in New London, as on February 12, 1670 "James Avery's wife Deborah, was baptised in the First Church of New London." On Jan. 12, 1670-1, Edward Stallyon and Margaret, his wife, deeded land to their son-in-law James Avery, Jr., which land they gave him with their daughter "Deborah, his now wife" (New London Deeds 5.18)

Children, all born in Groton, Conn.

- I. Deborah, b. 1 Aug. 1671
- II. James, b. 20 Apr. 1673, m. Mary Griswold, d. 18 Sept. 1754
- III. Margaret, b. 4 Feb. 1674, d. 18 Sept. 1754
- IV. Edward, b. 20 Mar. 1676, m. Joanna Rose, 12 Oct. 1710
- V. Christopher, b. 23 Jan. 1680, m. Abigail Payson, m. (2) Elizabeth Parks.
- VI. Ebenezer, b. 1 May 1678, m. 19 June 1708 Dorothy Parks
- VII. Jonathan, b. 9 Nov. 1681.
- VIII. Mercy, b. 4 Feb. 1683, bapt. 19 July 1685 1st Church Christ.
- IX. Hannah, b. 4 March 1685, m. Samuel Morgan
- X. Joseph, b. Aug. 1691, bapt. 17 Apr. 1692, 1st Church, N.L. Conn.
- X. Sarah, b. 10 May 1688, m. _____ Latham.

- XII. Mary, bapt. 2 July, 1693, m. William Morgan
- XIII. Benjamin, b. 1693 (some records show 1696, but he may have been a twin with Mary.

Capt. JAMES AVERY (son of James and Deborah (Sterling) Avery)
 b. 20 Apr. 1673, Groton, Conn., bapt. 1 June,
 1673, First Church, New London, Conn. d. 18 Sept. 1754
 Married, 1696
 MARY GRISWOLD, (da of John and Mary (Bemas) Griswold) b. Feb. 1673
 at East Windsor, Conn. d. 26 Nov. 1750, Groton, Conn.

Capt. James Avery, like his father, was a prominent man in his community, holding many positions, listed in the Connecticut Colonial Records as follows:

"Brander of Horses" for Groton in 1705; Constable, 1707-08;
 on list of Freemen 1708-1711; Selectman 1731 to 1742
 and Moderator most of that time; Deputy of General Court for
 15 terms from 1715 to 1731; Justice for New London County
 1726 to 1735; Guardian of the Pequot Indians after his father's
 death; commissioned Ensign of the First Company of the Groton
 Train band, 1716; Lt. in 1721; and Captain in 1728. (see
 Vol. 5: 489, 548, 572, 576; Vol. 2: 42, 270, 439, 514;
 Vol. 7: 2, 88, 124, 149, 152, 191, 250, 293, 311, 346.

James Avery, and his wife, were members of the Church at Groton before the ordination, November 22, 1727. They had been members of the First Church of New London, Conn., before 1700. There is an interesting account of his leadership in the church. It seems that his first two children were baptized in the First Church of New London, but the next in the name of wife. On May 26, 1700, he was put "under discipline" for signing the Remonstrance. In 1700, many of the church remonstrated against their minister, Rev. Gordon Saltonstall. They claimed the "rates" were illegally collected, that they were not allowed to choose their own collectors, that he had been absent 20 Sundays in 2 years, that his favorites got the best pews, and the best of the common lands. The case was brought up before court, AND LOST. Everyone who signed the remonstrance came under censure of the church, and more than one had to have his children baptised "in right of his wife". Saltonstall was ordained pastor of the New London Church in 1691. That the preacher was also a successful practical politician appears from the fact that from the first day of January, 1708, to his death, September 1724, he was the Governor of the Colony of Connecticut.

He was often called "James the Third". He had made a will on March 28, 1749, and it was proved September 21, 1754. (New London Wills F.535) He mentioned his wife, sons, and daughter, Hannah Hall. His daughter, Mary Morgan must have been deceased.

Children, born at Groton, Conn.

1. James, b. 27 May, 1697, d. 2 May 1759
11. John, b. 4 Feb. 1700, d. 11 July, 1759
111. Ebenezer, b. 29 Mch. 1704, d. May 1780
- 1V. Elihu, b. 29 July 1707, d. 28 Nov. 1748, Groton, unm.
- V. Mary, b. 23 Feb. 1710, m. William Morgan
- VI. Hannah, b. 7 Apr. 1712, m(1) Samuel Allyn, m (2) Theophilus Hall
- VII. Prudence, b. 21 May 1715, d. 17 Sept. 1731
- VII. Thomas, b. 1717.

HANNAH AVERY (da of James and Mary(Griswold) Avery)b. 7 Apr.1712
 at Groton, Conn., d. 1784
 Married (1) Samuel Allyn
 Married (2), 22 May 1734
 Rev. THEOPHILUS HALL, (son of Samuel and Love (Royce) Hall)
 b. April 1707

In the records of the First Church of New London, there is the following:

"On June 17, 1731, Hannah Avery was admitted to full communion."

Several "Hannah Averys" have been mentioned as the wife of Rev. Theophilus Hall, but that it was the Hannah, daughter of James and Mary (Griswold) is proved by the following.

1. Capt. James Avery, in his will dated March 28, 1749, mentioned his daughter Hannah HALL (New London Wills F-535)
2. In Joshua Hempstead's diary, page 613, is the following entry, under date of August 15, 1753

"Two young women died, one belonging to Colchester, named Sarah Church, and ye other to Wallingford, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Hall, and granddaughter of Capt. James Avery of Groton. This, the oldest daughter of Theophilus and Hannah Avery Hall was buried in the "Ancientist Burying Ground" at New London."

See HALL Line

EDWARD STALLYON (Stallion or Sterling) b _____ d/ ;4 May 1703.
Married (1)

MARGARET
Married (2) Elizabeth Miller, who bore him a son "Edward".

The first mention we find of Edward Stallyon, was in New London, Connecticut in 1650. It is therefore presumed that he arrived in New England, with his wife Margaret, about that time, - or he may have come from England alone, and married Margaret shortly after he came. We know that Margaret was still living in 1671, as we find in the New London Deeds Book 5:18, that on Jan. 12, 1670 or 1671, "Edward Stallyon and Margaret, his wife, deeded land to their son-in-law, James Avery, Jr., which land they gave him with their daughter Deborah has now wife." This was signed by Edward Stallyon and James Avery. This, of course, proves that the Deborah Sterling who married James Avery, Jr., was the daughter of Edward Stallyon and Margaret.

Children, by his first wife

1. Deborah b. _____ m. 18 Feb. 1669, Lt. James Avery, Jr.
11. Sarah, b. _____ m. 1673 John Edgecomb
111. Margaret, b. _____ m. Pasco Foote

DEBORAH STERLING (da of Edward and Margaret Stallyon) b _____
d. 27 Mar. 1729

Married, 18 Feb. 1669, New London, Conn.

JAMES AVERY, Jr., (son of Capt. James and Joanne (Greenslade) Avery)
b. 15 Dec. 1644, d. 22 Aug. 1728.

Deborah, perhaps before, but definitely when she married, changed the spelling of the family name from Stallyon to Sterling. On February 12, 1670 it is recorded that "James Avery's wife, Deborah, was baptised in the First Church of New London."

See AVERY LINE

EDWARD GRISWOLD (son of George Griswold of Kenilworth, England)
b. abt. 1607, d. 1691 Kenilworth (now Clinton) Conn.

Married, about 1630

MARGARET _____ (thought to be a "Hicks") d. 23 Aug. 1670, Clinton.
Married (2) Sarah Diamond Bemis (widow of James Bemis
of New London and da of John and Rebecca Diamond).

Edward Griswold was a native of Kenilworth, in Warwickshire, England, born, according to desposition in the State Records at Hartford, in 1607. He came to America in 1639 with his brother Matthew, who was 19 years of age, and unmarried. On the ship with them was William Whiting, an undertaker, and the Rev. Ephraim Hult, and perhaps his wife and children. The records show that his wife and children were with him in 1640, but he may have gone back to England, or sent for them a year later. He was the Colonial Agent for a Mr. St. Nicholas of Knowle, Warwickshire, as a number of invoices and accounts are on record showing this connection. He was at Windsor, Conn., from 1640 to 1662, when he removed to Kellingsworth, as one of the leaders in the settlement of the place, and was its first Magistrate. Before leaving Windsor, he served twice, in 1651 and 1662, on the jury in the trial of persons accused of witchcraft, and in both cases, the accused persons were pronounced worthy of death. While in Windsor, too, in 1659, he helped build the fort for Mr. Pyncheon, one of the most famous Colonial soldiers. Soon after he moved to Kellingsworth, the name of the village was changed to Kenilworth, after his home in England (now known as Clinton). He served the General Courts of Kenilworth in 1662 and 1663, and held many other positions of merit. His wife, Margaret, was buried in the Congregational Burying Ground, - her gravestone is marked "MG 1670".

Children: All by Margaret, first 5 b. England, others
in Windsor, Connecticut.

1. Sarah, b. England, d. 1631.
- II. George, b. 1633, d. 3 Sept. 1704, Windsor, Conn. m. Mary Holcomb.
- III. Francis, b. 1635, d. Oct. 1671, Norwich, Conn.
- IV. Liddia, b. 1637, probl d. yg.
- V. Sarah, b. 1638. m (1) Samuel Phelps (son of William) 10 Nov. 1660 m (2) 21 July 1670 Nathaniel Pinney.
- VI. John, b. _____ d. 1642
- VII. Ann. Bapt. 19 June 1642
- VIII. Mary, Bapt. 13 Oct. 1644, m. Timothy Phelps (son of William) 19 March 1661
- IX. Deborah, bapt. 28 June 1646, m. Samuel Buell 13 Nov. 1662.
- X. Joseph, bapt. 12 March 1647, d. 14 Nov. 1714, m. Mary Gay - lord (da of Samuel) 14 July 1670
- XI. Samuel, bapt. 18 Nov. 1649, d. 6 July 1672, unm.
- XII. John, bapt. 1 Aug. 1652, m (1) Mary Bemis (da of his stepmother) 28 Nov. 1672, m (2) Barthsheba (North or Jewett)

Capt. JOHN GRISWOLD (son of Edward and Margaret Griswold) born and bapt. 1 Aug. 1652, Windsor, Conn., d. 3 July 1717, New London, Conn.

Married (1) 28 Nov. 1672

MARY BEMIS (da of Sara, Widow of James Bemis, nee Diamond) She was John's step-sister, as her mother married (2) his father. She d. 27 Oct. 1679

Married (2) Bathsheba (either North, da. of Thomas North and granddaughter of Walter Price, or she was Bathsheba Jewett) She died 19 March 1736

John removed, with his father Edward, from Windsor to Kenilworth about 1663, where he married and where his children were born, sixteen in all, four by his first wife, and twelve by his second. He was made a Freeman on May 8, 1673. In the "Colonial Records" Volume V, page 310, it mentions the appointment in 1712 of John Griswold as "Captain of the Trainband in the town of Kellingsworth. On page #572, in the list of deputies for 1716, he is called "Captain John Griswold". On July 15, 1714, he is mentioned as a member of Gov. Saltonstall's Council in New London.

You will note that in the year 1679, his first son, John, was born in September, his wife died in October, and the son died in December. He probably married Bathsheba shortly, as he was left with the three little girls, two, four and six years of age. With Bathsheba he had twelve additional children.

John's will, dated 6 June, 1713, and recorded 13 Aug. 1717, mentions his daughter "Mary Avery".

His gravestone was found in the Congregational Cemetery at Clinton, Conn., near that of his mother Margaret, and his pastor Abraham Pierson.

Children: (by first wife) born Kenilworth (Clinton) Conn.

- I. Mary, b. 1 Feb. 1673, m. James Avery
- II. Margaret, b. 10 Dec. 1675, m. _____ Chapman
- III. Hannah, b. 25 Oct. 1677, m. _____ Crane
- IV. John, b. 22 Sept. 1679, d. 27 Dec. 1679

MARY GRISWOLD (da of John and Mary (Bemis) Griswold) b. 1 Feb. 1673, Kenilworth, Conn. d. 26 Nov. 1750 Groton, Conn.

Married

Capt. JAMES AVERY (son of James and Deborah (Sterling) Avery) b. 20 Apr. 1673, Groton, Conn. d. 18 Sept. 1754.

See AVERY Line

THOMAS LEE, born in England, died at sea in 1641.

Married, in England

PHEBE BROWN

In the year 1641, Thomas Lee, the immigrant, sailed from some port in England for America. With him were his wife, Phebe, his three children and his father-in-law, Mr. Brown. On the passage, Thomas Lee died of small pox, and his remains were committed to the sea. Phebe Lee, with her father, Mr. Brown, and the three Lee children lived in Saybrook, Conn. Mr. Brown later moved to Providence, R.I., where he married again. Mr. Brown was the ancestor of the Brown family of Providence who were the munificent re-founders of the College of Rhode Island. Phebe (Brown) Lee m (2) Greenfield Larabee of Saybrook, and (3) Mr. Cornish of Simsbury, Conn., by each of whom she had children.

Children, born in England

1. Phebe, married a Mr. Large of Long Island
- II. Jane, married Mr. Hyde of Norwich, Conn. Their daughter Elizabeth married Matthew Griswold of Lyme. One of their sons was John, the father of Matthew the Governor of Connecticut.
- III. Thomas, married Sarah Kirtland of Saybrook, Conn.

THOMAS LEE, born in England and thought to have been an infant when brought to this country in 1641, d. 5 Jan. 1704, Lyme, Conn.

Married (1)

SARAH KIRTLAND (da of Nathaniel Kirtland) b. Saybrook, Conn., d/ 21 May 1676

Married (2) Mary D'Wolff of Lyme.

Thomas Lee's occupation has not been traced, but he must have been a very wealthy man, for his purchases of land are said to have amounted to one-eighth part of the entire town of Lyme.

He had three children by his first wife, Sarah Kirtland Lee, and seven by his second wife Mary D'Wolff. His daughter Hannah, by his second wife, married John Griswold, the parents of Matthew Griswold, II, the Governor of Connecticut. Thomas Lee, the immigrant was therefore related to Matthew Griswold, II the Governor of Connecticut, through his daughter Jane, and thru his son, Thomas, although he probably never saw Connecticut.

Children (by Marriage (1)) all born in Lyme, Conn.

1. John, born 1670, d. 17 Jan. 1716, m. Elizabeth Smith
- II. Thomas, m. Elizabeth Graham of Hartford, Conn.
- III. Sarah, m. Daniel Buckingham of Saybrook.

JOHN LEE (son of Thomas and Sarah(Kirtland) Lee, born 1670,
d. 17 Jan.1716, Lyme, Conn.

Married 8 Feb. 1692

ELIZABETH SMITH of Lyme, Conn., b. 1672, d. 1762 She m.(2)
John Barley of Groton, and survived him.

John Lee died of Measles on January 17, 1716, aged 44. He left a dying charge to his children and descendents, enjoining each and all of them to the end of time,

"Fear For God and Keep his commandments, (etc.) Never turn Papists or Heretics, but serve God in the way you were brought up in. Avoid excess in drinking."

Children, presumably all born in Lyme, Conn.

1. John, b.1703, d. 1745 of consumption. (11 children)
- II. Joseph, m. Mary Allen of Montville, (10 children)
- III. Benjamin, m. Mary Ely of Lyme (11 children)
- IV. Sarah, m. John Lay of Lyme
- V. Elizabeth, d. unm. of consumption
- VI. Phebe, m. James Elderkin
- VII. Lucy, m. Amos Tinker of Lyme (she d. of consumption)
- VIII. Jane, m. Thomas Way of Lyme
- IX. Mary, m. John Comstock of Montville,Conn. They had 6 children. One son, John, was Lt. in Rev. and was killed at the taking of New York on Sept.15,1776.
- X. Hephzibah, m. Elisha Lee of Lyme
- XI. Joanna, m. John Beckwith of Lyme.

Capt. JOHN LEE (son of John and Elizabeth (Smith) Lee) b. 17 May 1703, Lyme, Conn. d. 26 Aug. 1745, Lyme, Conn.
Married (1) Lydia Allen of Montville, Conn. They had 5 children (a daughter died single of consumption) Lydia (Allen) Lee died of consumption
Married (2) Eunice Lee, and had four children. The oldest son, John, was a doctor, but died at age 27 of small pox. Martin, the second son died of consumption about 10 years old. The third son died of consumption but lived to be 53 years of age. Eunice (Lee) Lee also died of consumption.
Married (3) 17 Oct. 1741

ABIGAIL TULLY of Saybrook (da of William and Abigail (Maverick) Tully) born 1708, d. 2 May 1773, Saybrook,Conn.
She m(2) 6 Jan 1749 Daleb Chapman of Sayb rook.

John Lee was a lawyer of considerable eminence, having been for some time King's attorney for the County of New London. He was for many years the Representative for Lyme in the General Assembly. He had eleven children in all, but consumption was rampant among them, at least three of them died from it, as did also Capt. John Lee, and two of his wives. When John Lee died in 1745, he left his wife Abigail with a daughter two years old, and a son three months old, and perhaps children by his previous marriage. It is presumed that Abigail went home to Saybrook with the children for in four years she re-married there.

The two children of John and Abigail married children of the Rev. Theophilus Hall.

Children

1. Eunice, b. 14 Jan. 1743, d. 20 March 1790, m. Samuel Hall.
11. Andrew, b. 7 May, 1745, m. 15 Dec. 1768 Eunice Hall.

EUNICE LEE (da of John and Abigail (Tulley) Lee), b. 14 Jan. 1743
d. 20 March, 1790

Married, 10 Feb. 1757

SAMUEL HALL (son of Rev. Theophilus and Hannah (Avery) Hall)
b. 16 July, 1739, d. 29 March, 1791

The records state that Eunice (Lee) Hall died of small pox, on March 20, 1790. Her husband died just a year later. They left eight children, the youngest, our ancestor, being only two years old, and the oldest child in his thirties. It is probably true, as one of the genealogist presumed, the older children took over the care of the young orphans.

CHAD BROWN, born in England, died in Rhode Island.
Married

Chad Brown of Rhode Island, was the founder of the distinguished family in that State. Brown University takes its name from him. He was born in England, migrating to America with the early settlers of Rhode Island. He appears to have been a gentleman of wealth and education, and of high standing, both public and private. He is believed to be the father of Mrs. Thos. Lee, whose husband died on the passage to this country, and who settled at Saybrook. (The Salisburys, in their geneology, list five reasons which make this supposition very probable.) He is supposed to have gone back to England on business, and on his return, to have brought over his daughter, his son-in-law and their children, and settled them at Saybrook, which, at that time, was expected to become a large city and consequently had great attractions for settlers with abundant means, as this family appears to have had.

Children (there may be others)

1. Pheobe, born in England. about 1615

PHEOBE BROWN, (daughter of Chad Brown), born in England, about 1615, died in Connecticut.

Married, in England, about 1635

THOMAS LEE, born in England, died at sea on the way to America in 1641

Married (2) Saybrook, Conn., Mr. Greenfield Larrabee

Married (3) Mr. Cornish of Simsbury, Conn.

When Pheobe (Brown) Lee came to America with her father and three children, having lost her husband from small pox in the passage, she lived with her father for several years. She then married Greenfield Larrabee, and had five children, (1) Greenfield (2) John (3) Elizabeth (4) Joseph, and (5) Sarah. She then married Mr. Cornish of Simsbury, or of Norwich, and had a son James.

See LEE Line

JOHN TULLEY, Born in England about 1610, d. there 11 June 1644.

Married, in England, 17 Oct. 1637

SARAH FENNER (da of Arthur and Sarah (Brown) Fenner) bapt.

26 Nov. 1615, Horley, Surrey County, England.

She m (2) Robert Lay of Mass. She d. 21 May 1672.

We know, from the records, that Sarah Tulley, and her two children were in America before the death of her husband. The records, however, show that John Tulley died in England, - but it may be that they had all been in America, and he had gone back to England for some reason in 1644, and died while there. His friend, or perhaps a relation, William Beaumont, went back to England in 1645 for the express purpose of obtaining the inheritance due John Tulley's son, John, Jr., and when he got back to Massachusetts, he was very much surprised to find that Widow Sarah Tulley had married, - Robert Lay.

Children

1. John, Jr., b. England, Bapt. 9 Sept. 1638, died, 5 Oct. 1701
Saybrook, Conn.

11. Sarah, b. England, bapt. 27 Sept. 1640, m. _____
Dennison.

JOHN TULLEY, Jr., (son of John and Sarah (Fenner) Tulley) born
in England, bapt. there 9 Sept. 1636, died
5 Oct. 1701, Saybrook, Conn.

Married 3 Jan. 1672

MARY BEAUMONT (da. of William and Lydia (Danforth) Beaumont)
Born 1645

John Tulley was a Freeman, listed in Saybrook, Connecticut in 1671, the year before he married Mary Beaumont. The Tulley son, at least, and the Beaumont family had therefore migrated to Connecticut from Massachusetts and were still together. Did the Beaumonts raise John? Was the inheritance that Mary's father obtained for John, Jr. in England, a large one? It is recorded that John Tulley, Jr., occupation was "making almanacs".

Children:

1. John, b. 3 Dec. 1672. He was lost at sea.

11. Sarah, b. 9 Apr. 1674, d. 30 Dec. 1692, m. John Smith of
Haddam, Conn.

111. William, b. 5 Jan. 1676, d. 5 July, 1744 Saybrook, Conn.

1V. Lydia, b. 15 Mar. 1679, d. 12 July, 1740

V. Mary, b. 10 Aug. 1681, m. Daniel Clark of Haddam, Conn.

VI. Debora, b. 24 Feb. 1683, d. unm. 13 Mar. 1721

VII. Lucy, b. 22 Mar. 1686, d. 5 Apr. 1692

VIII. Hepsibah, b. 22 Dec. 1689, d. 26 Oct. 1767

WILLIAM TULLEY (son of John and Mary (Beaumont) Tulley) b. 5 Jan.
1676 probably at Saybrook, Conn. d. there
5 July, 1744

Married, about 1700

ABIGAIL MAVERICK (da. of Rev. Elias and Margaret (Sherwood)
Maverick) b. Boston, September 1675 d. 19 Dec.
1750, Saybrook, Conn.

Children

- I. John, b. 18 Mar. 1702, d. 29 Oct. 1776
- II. Margaret, b. 23 May 1704, d. 15 Sept. 1775
- III. William, b. 13 June 1709, d. 18 Mar. 1775
- IV. Abigail, b. 6 July, 1707, d. 2 May, 1773

ABIGAIL TULLEY (da of William and Abigail (Maverick) Tulley)
b. 5 July, 1707, d. 2 May 1773, Saybrook, Conn.

Married, 7 Oct. 1741 (as his third wife)

Capt. JOHN LEE, of Lyme, Conn. (son of John and Elizabeth (Smith)
Lee) b. 17 May 1703, d. 1745.

Married (2) Deacon Calëb Chapman, of Saybrook, Conn.

When Abigail's first husband, Capt. John Lee, died she was
living in Lyme. She then moved back to her home town of Saybrook
with her children, and perhaps lived with some of her family.
It was four years before she married "Deacon Caleb Chapman".

See LEE Line

WILLIAM BEAUMONT, born in Cumberland, Scotland

Married, 1643, Boston, Mass.

LYDIA DANFORTH

William Beaumont, the immigrant, came to America in 1630, with Gov. Winthrop's fleet, and settled in Massachusetts. He seems to be closely associated with the John Tulley family, either by friendship, or perhaps relationship. John Tulley, who had been in America, went back to England, and died there in 1644. Soon after that, William Beaumont made the trip back to England, in order to get an inheritance due John Tulley's son, John (John Tulley, this son, twenty seven years later, married William Beaumont's daughter, Mary). The records do not state whether William Beaumont was successful in obtaining the inheritance. When he returned to America, he found that John Tulley's widow had married Robert Lay.

Children

1. Mary, b. 1645, Massachusetts,

MARY BEAUMONT (da of William and Lydia (Danforth) Beaumont)
b. 1645, Massachusetts

Married, 3 Jan. 1672

JOHN TULLEY (son of John and Sarah (Fenner Tulley), bapt.
9 Sept. 1638, England, d. 5 Oct. 1701 Saybrook
Connecticut.

See TULLEY Line

ARTHUR FENNER, BORN AND DIED IN ENGLAND

Married

SARAH BROWN (da of Rev. Joseph and Margery (Patchings)
Brown) of Horley, England

Children:

1. Sarah, bapt. 26 Nov. 1615, Horley Surrey Co. England,
d. 21 May, 1672, Saybrook, Connecticut.

SARAH FENNER (da of Arthur and Sarah (Brown) Fenner) bapt.
26 Nov. 1615, Horley, Surrey Co. England,
d. 21 May, 1672, prob. Saybrook, Connecticut.

Married (1) in England

JOHN TULLEY, born in England, and died there, 11 June, 1644.
Married (2), Robert Lay.

We know that Sarah and the two children were in America at the time of John Tulley's death in England, and it is thought that John had been here too, and had gone back to England. For some reason, she did not go back to England, but sent a friend, a Mr. Beaumont (also our ancestor) to see about the inheritance due her son. While Mr. Beaumont was in England on her errand, she married Robert Lay. It is thought that Mr. Beaumont took the two Tulley children and raised them, with his own, as one of his daughters married the Tulley boy.

See TULLEY Line

Rev. JOHN MAVERICK (son of Peter and Dorothy (Tucke) Maverick)
born in Awliscome, England. Bapt. 28 Dec.
1578, d. 3 Feb. 1635, Dorchester, Mass.

Married, 28 Oct. 1600, at Isselton, Devon, England

MARY GYE

Rev. John and Mary his wife, and son Elias, the immigrants,
left England with the Puritans, among whom were our ancestors
Thomas Holcomb, perhaps Robert Winchell and Wm. Hannum, - and
arrived in Dorchester, Mass., on the 30th of May, 1630.
The Rev. John and family did not migrate to Windsor, as did
the others, as the records state that he was the Pastor of
the Dorchester Church until his death.

Children:

1. Elias, b. about 1604, Devon England d. Charleston
Mass., 8 Sept. 1684.

ELIAS MAVERICK (son of Rev. John and Mary (Gye) Maverick) b.
abt. 1604, Devon, England, and d. 8 Sept. 1684
Charleston, Mass.

Married, about 1633

ANN HARRIS (da of Thomas and Elizabeth (Cutter) Harris)
b. 1613, d. 7 Sept. 1697.

Children:

1. Abigail, b. 10 Aug 1637, Boston, m. 1655, Mathew Clark.
They lived at Marblehead and Salem, Mass.
- II. John, b. 13 Feb. 1636, m. 9 Apr. 1656, Catherine Skipper
She m (2), 8 Sept. 1680 John Johnson
- III. Elizabeth, b. 2 June 1639 Charleston, d. 22 Mar. 1673,
m. 15 Oct. 1656, Lt. John Johnson
- IV. Sarah, b. 20 Feb. 1641, d. soon after
- V. Elias, b. 17 Mar. 1644, m. (1) 8 Dec. 1669 Margaret
Sherwood of Cornwell, England and Boston.
m (2) Sarah _____
- VI. Peter
- VII. Mary
- VIII. Paul, b. 10 June 1657, m. Jemiah Smith (da of Lt. John
Smith)
- IX. Rebecca, b. 1 Jan. 1660.

Rev. ELIAS MAVERICK (son of Elias and Ann (Harris) Maverick)
b. 17 Mar. 1644 at Winiainet, Mass.

Married (1) 8 Dec. 1669

MARGARET SHERWOOD of Cornwell, England and Boston, Mass.

Married (2) Sarah _____

Children:

- 1. Elias, Jr., b. 4 Nov. 1670
- 11. Margaret, b. 22 Apr. 1675
- 111. Elizabeth, (a twin) b. 22 Apr. 1675
- 1V. Abigail, b. 24 Sept. 1676, d. 9 Dec. 1760 Saybrook
Conn., m. William Tulley
- V. Samuel, b. 14 Aug. 1687

ABIGAIL MAVERICK (da. of Rev. Elias and Margaret (Sherwood)
Maverick) b. 24 Sept. 1676, d. 9 Dec. 1760
Saybrook, Conn.

Married
WILLIAM TULLY (son of John and Mary (Beaumont) Tulley)
b. 5 Jan. 1677, d. 5 July, 1744, Saybrook, Conn.

See TULLY Line

THOMAS HARRIS, believed to be born in England, died 1631,
Boston, Mass.

Married

ELIZABETH CUTTER, who died 16 Feb. 1670 aged 93, - which
would give her birth date 1577. She m (2)
Deacon William Stilson

Thomas Harris ran the ferry at Charleston. He, no doubt, had
other children, - there were several "Harris" families in
Massachusetts, and Connecticut, who may have been his sons.
We have only positive proof of his daughter, Ann.

Children

1. Ann. b. 1613, d. 7 Sept. 1697, m. Elias Maverick.

ANN HARRIS (da of Thomas and Elizabeth (Cutter) Harris),
b. 1613, d. 7 Sept. 1697

Married

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Mass., 8 Sept. 1684.

See MAVERICK Line

Sgt. WILLIAM CORNWELL, b _____ d. 21 Feb. 1678, Middleton,
Connecticut.

Married (1) Joan

Married (2)

MARY _____ b. _____ d. _____ 1634237

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1640, Hartford, Conn. d. 2 Nov. 1707 Middleton, Conn.
Married, 3 June 1665
MARTHA PECK (da of Deacon Paul Peck of Hartford) b. 1641

Children:

- I. Mary, b. 20 Nov. 1666
- II. Martha, b. 13 Aug. 1669
- III. John, b. 13 Aug. 1671
- IV. William, b. 17 May 1673
- V. Paul, b. 6 June 1675
- VI. Hannah, b. 5 Sept. 1677
- VII. Joseph, b. 5 Oct. 1679
- VIII. Thankful, b. 1 May 1683, d. young
- IX. Thankful, b. 26 July, 1685
- X. Benjamin, b. 23 Dec. 1688, d. 1707

Capt. JOSEPH CORNWELL (son of Sgt. John and Martha (Peck) Cornwell)
b. 5 Oct. 1679, Middleton, Conn. d. 3 Feb. 1741.
Middleton, Conn.
Married, 20 April 1710

ABIGAIL HARRIS (da of Capt. Daniel Harris of Middleton) b. 1683,
d. 13 May 1723, age 40
Married (2) 7 Apr. 1726, Mrs. Elizabeth C. (Hall) Lewis,
(da of Capt. John and Elizabeth (Cornwell) Hall)
(of Westfield and Middleton Connecticut)

There is a marker in the Middleton Cemetery with the inscription
"Capt. Joseph Cornwell, 3 Feb. 1741, age 62".

Children: (doubtless there were others)

1. Lt. Nathaniel, b. 6 Oct. 1718, d. 7 Oct. 1775 Middleton, Conn.

Lt. NATHANIEL CORNWELL (son of Capt. Joseph and Abigail (Harris)
Cornwell) b. 6 Oct. 1718, Middleton, d. 7 Oct. 1775,
Middleton, Connecticut

Married 3 Nov. 1743

MARY CORNWELL (da of Capt. Wait and Mary (Todd) Cornwell)
b. 17 July, 1719, d. 10 Jan. 1780 Middleton, Conn.

Lt. Nathaniel was in the Middleton Militia. (His wife was a second
cousin)

Children (doubtless others)

1. Nathaniel, Jr., b. 12 June, 1746, Middleton, Conn., d. 30 Oct.
1830, Westfield, Conn.

NATHANIEL CORNWELL, Jr. (son of Lt. Nathaniel and Mary (Cornwell) Cornwell) b. 12 June 1746, Middleton, Conn.,
d. 30 Oct. 1830, Westfield, Conn

Married, 26 Nov. 1770

MARY MILDRUM (da of John and Mercy (Cornwell) Mildrum) b. 24 Jan. 1748, d. 10 July 1811, Westfield, Conn. (cemetery)

Children (doubtless others)

1. Mary (Polly) b. 10 Apr. 1778 (Westfield Conn., Records)
d. 26 Sept. 1836, Fayetteville, N.C.

MARY (POLLY) CORNWELL (da. of Nathaniel, Jr. and Mary (Mildrum) Cornwell) b. 10 Apr. 1778, Westfield, Conn.,
d. 26 Sept. 1836 Fayetteville, N.C.

Married, 22 Aug. 1813, as his first wife

JOHN HUBBARD HALL (son of Samuel and Eunice (Lee) Hall)
b. Meriden, Conn., 12 Apr. 1788, d. 20 Sept. 1867, Fayetteville, N.C.

SEE HALL Line

Deacon PAUL PECK, of Hartford, Born in England, d. 23 Dec. 1695
Hartford, Conn., "age 93" which would make his
birth date 1602.

Married (1) in England, Elizabeth _____
Married (2)

MARTHA HALE (sister of Thomas and Samuel Hale) born in
England about 1622, d. Hartford, Conn.,
after Mar. 7, 1699-1700.

The records state that Paul Peck came to Boston on the "Hector"
in 1637. It is therefore assumed that his wife, Elizabeth,
died in England. His second wife, Martha Hale was born in
England, but we know that she died in Hartford. She also
lived in Wethersfield, Conn.

Children:

1. Paul, m. Elizabeth Baisie (da of John and Elizabeth
Baisie).
11. Martha, b. 1641, Hartford, m. 8 June 1665, John Cornwell
who was b. April 1640, d. 2 Nov. 1707.

MARTHA PECK (da of Deacon Paul and Martha (Hale) Peck) b. 1641
Hartford, Conn.

Married, 8 June, 1665

JOHN CORNWELL (sgt) (son of William and Mary Cornwell)
b. April 1640, Hartford, Conn., d. 2 Nov. 1707
Middleton, Conn.

Their home in Middleton, was near the corner of Main and
Washington Streets.

See CORNWELL Line

Capt. DANIEL HARRIS "of Rowley" d. in November, 1701,
Middleton, Conn.

Married

MARY WELD (da. of Joseph) died 5 Sept. 1711

The records state that he was "of Rowley in 1643", - but that he died in Middleton, Connecticut. Capt. Daniel and Mary had ten children, - but we have only the record of our ancestor, Capt. Daniel.

Children

1. Capt. Daniel, b. 15 July, 1653, d. 18 Oct. 1735.

Capt. DANIEL HARRIS (son of Capt. Daniel and Mary (Weld) Harris)
b. 15 July, 1653, d. 18 Oct. 1735

Married, 14 Dec. 1680

ABIGAIL BARNES (da of Thomas and Mary Barnes) bapt. 16 Mar .
1656, d. 28 May, 1723, Middleton, Conn.

Children:

1. Abigail b. 1683, d. 13 May 1723 aged 40

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b. 1683, d. 13 May 1723, aged 40

Married, 20 April 1711

Capt JOSEPH CORNWELL (son of John and Martha (Peck) Cornwell)
b. 5 Oct. 1679, Middleton, Conn., d. 5 Feb. 1742
(Cem. Records say he died 3 Feb. 1741, aged 62,
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MARY WHITE (da of Capt. Nathaniel White and Elizabeth) b. 7 Apr.
1659, d. 15 Nov. 1732, Middleton, Conn.

Jacob Cornwell inherited his father's house in Middleton, Conn., and made it his home. It is recorded that he joined the church in 1668. His estate, when he died in 1708, amounted to £ 406. Two years after his death, on 13 April, 1710, his widow married John Bacon. She died on November 15, 1732, twenty four years after her first husband's death.

Children, all born in Middleton, Conn.

- I. Mary, b. 2 Nov. 1679, m. 30 May 1698 Francis Whitmore
They had eleven children
- II. Jacob, b. 9 Aug. 1681, d. 9 Nov. 1631
- III. Jacob, b. 1 Oct. 1682
- IV. Nathaniel, b. 30 Aug. 1684 (living in 1708 but probably
died soon after)
- V. Giles, b. 14 Aug. 1686, died young.
- VI. Daniel, b. 19 Apr. 1688 (living in 1708 but no trace
thereafter)
- VII. Isaac, b. 22 Sept. 1690, d. 20 Aug. 1733, m. 29 July
1714 Mary Burliss.
- VIII. Capt. Wait, b. 18 Sept. 1692
- IX. Elizabeth, b. 21 July, 1697, m. 24 March 1724
Ebenezer Wetmore
- X. Capt. Timothy, b. 23 Aug. 1700.

Captain WAIT CORNWELL (son of Jacob and Mary (White) Cornwell)
born 18 Sept. 1692, Middleton, Conn., d. 8 Jan.
1742

Married, 24 Apr. 1717

MARY TODD

Captain Wait Cornwell is listed as Constable of Middleton in 1731, Tithing Man in 1731, and was commissioned Captain of the Militia in 1741. We have the record of only the two daughters, both of whom are connected with our line:

Children

- I. Mary, b. 17 July, 1719, m. 3 Nov. 1743, Lt. Nathaniel
Cornwell (son of Capt. Joseph and Abigail
(Harris) Cornwell). She died 10 Jan. 1780.
- II. Mercy, b. 17 July, 1719 (a twin) m. 4 May 1747
John Mildrum of Middleton.

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Married 3 Nov. 1743

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See CORNWELL Line

Capt. NATHANIEL WHITE (son of "Elder White of Hartford") born
England, d. 27 Aug. 1711, Middleton, Conn.

Married,
ELIZABETH

"Elder John White" the immigrant evidently migrated to America, bringing his son, Nathaniel with him, and settled in Hartford, Connecticut. It is not known when Nathaniel removed to Middleton, but it was probably the time of his marriage. He was commissioned "Ensign", "Lieutenant" and then "Captain", and since he was known as "Captain Nathaniel White of Middleton" it is more than likely that he had lived in Middleton for a long time. We know that his daughter, Mary, was born in Middleton in 1659, and that Capt. Nathaniel died there in 1711.

Children:

- I. Nathaniel, b. 7 July 1652
- II. Elizabeth, b. 7 Mar. 1655
- III. John, b. 9 Apr. 1657.
- IV. Mary, b. 7 Apr. 1659, d. 15 Nov. 1732, m. (1) Jacob
Cornwell, m (2) John Bacon
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MARY WHITE (da of Capt. Nathaniel White and Elizabeth) b. 7 Apr.
1659, d. 15 Nov. 1732, Middleton, Conn.

Jacob Cornwell inherited his father's house in Middleton, Conn., and made it his home. It is recorded that he joined the church in 1668. His estate, when he died in 1708, amounted to £ 406. Two years after his death, on 13 April, 1710, his widow married John Bacon. She died on November 15, 1732, twenty four years after her first husband's death.

Children, all born in Middleton, Conn.

- I. Mary, b. 2 Nov. 1679, m. 30 May 1698 Francis Whitmore
They had eleven children
- II. Jacob, b. 9 Aug. 1681, d. 9 Nov. 1681
- III. Jacob, b. 1 Oct. 1682
- IV. Nathaniel, b. 30 Aug. 1684 (living in 1708 but probably
died soon after)
- V. Giles, b. 14 Aug. 1686, died young.
- VI. Daniel, b. 19 Apr. 1688 (living in 1708 but no trace
thereafter)
- VII. Isaac, b. 22 Sept. 1690, d. 20 Aug. 1733, m. 29 July
1714 Mary Burliss.
- VIII. Capt. Wait, b. 18 Sept. 1692
- IX. Elizabeth, b. 21 July, 1697, m. 24 March 1724
Ebenezer Wetmore
- X. Capt. Timothy, b. 23 Aug. 1700.

Captain WAIT CORNWELL (son of Jacob and Mary (White) Cornwell)
born 18 Sept. 1692, Middleton, Conn., d. 8 Jan.
1742

Married, 24 Apr. 1717

MARY TODD

Captain Wait Cornwell is listed as Constable of Middleton in 1731, Tithing Man in 1731, and was commissioned Captain of the Militia in 1741. We have the record of only the two daughters, both of whom are connected with our line:

Children

- I. Mary, b. 17 July, 1719, m. 3 Nov. 1743, Lt. Nathaniel
Cornwell (son of Capt. Joseph and Abigail
(Harris) Cornwell). She died 10 Jan. 1780.
- II. Mercy, b. 17 July, 1719 (a twin) m. 4 May 1747
John Mildrum of Middleton.

MERCY CORNWELL (da. of Wait and Mary (Todd) Cornwell) b. 17 July
1719, twin with Mary
Married 4 May 1747
JOHN MILDRUM of Middleton

Children:

- I. Mary, b. 24 Jan. 1748, m. 26 Nov. 1770 Nathaniel
Cornwell, Jr.
- II. Sarah, b. 20 Feb. 1749, d. 21 Sept. 1776. m. 19 Jan. 1768
Nathaniel Strong, of Middleton
- III. Lucia, b. 18 Sept. 1750
- IV. Mark, b. 12 Feb. 1752

(Since we have been unable to a line on John Mildrum of Middleton,
we have listed the children under the mother Mercy Cornwell.)

Capt. NATHANIEL WHITE (son of "Elder White of Hartford") born
England, d. 27 Aug. 1711, Middleton, Conn.

Married,
ELIZABETH

"Elder John White" the immigrant evidently migrated to America, bringing his son, Nathaniel with him, and settled in Hartford, Connecticut. It is not known when Nathaniel removed to Middleton, but it was probably the time of his marriage. He was commissioned "Ensign", "Lieutenant" and then "Captain", and since he was known as "Captain Nathaniel White of Middleton" it is more than likely that he had lived in Middleton for a long time. We know that his daughter, Mary, was born in Middleton in 1659, and that Capt. Nathaniel died there in 1711.

Children:

- I. Nathaniel, b. 7 July 1652
- II. Elizabeth, b. 7 Mar. 1655
- III. John, b. 9 Apr. 1657.
- IV. Mary, b. 7 Apr. 1659, d. 15 Nov. 1732, m. (1) Jacob
Cornwell, m (2) John Bacon
- V. Daniel, b. 23 Feb. 1662
- VI. Sarah, b. 22 Jan. 1664
- VII. Jacob, b. 10 May 1665
- VIII. Joseph, b. 20 Feb. 1667.

MARY WHITE (da of Capt. Nathaniel and Elizabeth White) b.
7 Apr. 1659, Middleton, Conn. d. 15 Nov. 1732

Married (1)

JACOB CORNWELL (son of William and Mary Cornwell) b. Sept. 1646
Middleton, Conn., d. 18 Apr. 1708 Middleton.

Married (2) 13 Apr. 1710, John Bacon

See CORNWELL Line

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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Section 36 Township 36 North Range 10 East 1st Meridian

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Sgt. WILLIAM GILLESPIE, b. 17 May 1752, d. 15 July 1802 Windsor Conn.

Married, 15 Sept. 1782, Windsor, Hartford County Conn.

MARY HOLCOMB (da of Lt. Martin and Christiana (Winchell) Holdcomb)
b. 12 Apr. 1761 Poquonok, Conn., d. 20 Feb. 1840
Clinton, N.Y. She m (2) in 1806, Jonathan
Ellsworth, who died that same year.

The Gillespie Line, and Allied Families, was found by Mrs. Agnes (Hall) Andrews in 1956, after more than nine years search. All of the following material was gathered by her thru letters and government data.

The parents of William have not been established, nor has the place of William's birth. It may be that he was the immigrant, or the son of John and grandson of Archibald. It is pretty well established that he had a brother "Thomas", a merchant in New York City and later in German Flats, Montgomery County in New York, - as William's wife, Mary, in a letter she wrote from Clinton to her daughter Alma (Gillespie) Elsworth, in Connecticut (now in the possession of Miss Grace L. Clapp, of Windsor, Conn., - a great-granddaughter of Alma) as follows:

"on my trip west, we stopped at German Flats, Herkimer County New York to see Thomas Gillespie".

It was proven that Thomas Gillespie was a merchant in New York City, had married on 17 July, 1784, Judith Breen, in New York City, and that on the 16th of August, 1789, he purchased property from Carthout Shoemaker, a widow, in German Flats. It is also pretty well established that he had a brother "James". James Gillespie was with William in all his war service records, and from Vol. 1 and 2, Pages #187 and 188 of "New York Geneology and Biographical Records":

"May 26, 1783, Judge Landon issued at Rombout, New York, letters of administration to William Gillespy, a Sargent in the 1st N.Y. Reg. upon the estate of James Gillespy, private in the old 4th N.Y. Reg."

As "Land Bounty", James drew Lot #34 at Marcellus, N.Y. and William drew Lot #39 at Marcellus, - each 600 acres.

William's service record in the Revolution covered seven years. This is proven by the "New York in the Revolution":

Page #17, The Line, 1st Reg. Col. Goose Van Schauk, Lt. Col. Cornelius Van Dyke, Capt. Cornelius T. Jansen, - William Galaspy

Page #40, The Line 3rd Reg. Col. Clinton Gansevoort, Capt. Cornelius T. Jansen - James Gillaspy; William Gillaspy.

He is also listed in the 1st Reg. Ulster Co. Militia of N.Y. for Land Bounty Rights, - and in "Connecticut Men in the Revolution" he is listed: Wethersfield, 1st Reg. of Artillery and Dragoons.

He enlisted March 20, 1777, and was made a Sargent. They disbanded in June, 1783 and shortly after he joined the Dutchess County Militia of New York.

History tells us that Co. Gansevoort was sent to Ft. Stanwix (now Rome, N.Y.) and in the encounter, the British ordered him to surrender, and he replied "Nuts". Somehow 800 militia were gathered, each wearing what clothes he had, carrying his own gun, powder, and balls, his own bed roll and food. They reached Ft. Stanwix in time and there the battle of Oriskany Falls was fought. It is possible that William was in this engagement. Because the British had already taken New York City, men from every colony were stationed along the east bank of the Hudson, with headquarters at Peeksville, in an endeavor to keep the British out of Connecticut. In 1779 the Artillery and Dragoons were in Connecticut, and Sgt. William Gillespie was stationed at Durham, New Haven, Conn., under Capt. Hogelin and Col. Sheldon. During the winter of 1780, his three years service was up, and he may at that time have re-enlisted at Wethersfield, Conn., as he is listed from there.

For his seven years of military service, William Gillespie drew Lot #39 at Marcellus, New York, (which is about ten miles south west of Syracuse) consisting of 600 acres. From a paper handed down in the family, and from records in Ulster County, New York and Cayuga County (now Onondago County) New York, it has been proven that:

William Gillespie deeded Lot 39, on 17 May 1788, to John McKinstry, dated at Precinct of Montgomery, Ulster Co., now Orange County, N.Y. Witnesses were Jacob B. Bookstaver, and Joseph Elliot.

On June 11, 1789, John McKinstry sold the rights to Lot #39 to William J. Vredenburg.

In 1790, Vredenburg filed a claim against any Bounty lands due Sgt. William Gillespie, who served 7 years in the Revolution. This claim is on file in Washington, D.C.

On the 23rd of December, 1815, Jacob Bookstaver appeared before the Court of Ulster County, stating that he knew William Gillespie personally, that he was a Sargent for 7 years in the 1st Regiment, and saw him sign the deed for Lot 39.

William had sold his Lot #39, 600 acres, at Marcellus, for 2 or 10 pounds sterling. However, the sale of the property seems to have been questioned from 1789 to 1815.

During the winter of 1780, while he was stationed in Connecticut, he met Mary Holcomb, of Poquonock, Connecticut, and they probably had a Civil Marriage. (This was quite common in that turbulent time of war, with ministers few and far between visits.) They had a daughter, named Mary in 1781, who they proudly registered in their family bible. On September 15, 1782 they were married, perhaps the first time William was able to get back from the war, and a minister available. This should have been a happy

time, but the bible record shows that their baby Mary died just 12 days after their wedding. No explanation was left, nor any comment. One wonders if the baby had been ill long, - whether Mary had sent for William, because of the illness, - or what the answer would be.

On July 7, 1838, Congress passed an Act, allowing pensions to ALL soldiers in the Revolution. There had been a pension for several years allowed to only needy ex-soldiers. On file in Washington, D.C. is found the following.

"State of New York
Oneida Co.
18 August, 1838

Mary Ellsworth, a resident of the Town of Kirkland of said Co., age 77, appeared before Pomroy Jones, one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas. She made the following declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the Act of Congress, 7 July, 1838.

That she was the widow of Jonathan Ellsworth who she married 1806. He died the same year.

That she married 15 Sept. 1782, Windsor, Hartford Co., Conn., William Gillespie. When she first met him, he was a Sargent in Capt. Hoglins Co., Col. Sheldons Reg. of horse, 1780

William Gillespie died 15 July 1802, at Windsor, Conn."

(signed) Mary Ellsworth
Witnessed by Pomroy Jones.

"Walter Gillespie, of Kirkland of the Co. of Oneida, N.Y. states that he is the son of Mary Ellsworth and 50 years old. That he was with William Gillespie at the time of his death, 15 July 1802, Windsor, Conn. That he has frequently heard William Gillespie state that he had been in military service of the U.S."

(signed) Walter Gillespie.

Eighteen years later it has been found that the pension had not been paid, for the following paper was found on file in Washington Pension Department :

"State of New York
Oneida Co.,
16 June, 1856.

Walter Gillespie appears at Kirkland, as administrator of the estate of Mary Ellsworth, widow of William Gillespie, a soldier of the Revolution and widow of Jonathan Ellsworth.

Mary Ellsworth applied for a pension, a certificate was issued, but the pension was not paid by the Pension Agent at Albany.

Walter Gillespie also stated that said Mary, his mother, died 20 Feb. 1840 and had received no payment. Walter Gillespie, administrator for Mary Ellsworth, his mother, request examination of Documents of William Gillespie, his father's service, a Revolution soldier, and forward to the care of his attorney, Jay Hathaway, Esq., Rome, Oneida Co., N.Y. or to his personal friend, O.B. Peirce of Rome, N.Y."

(signed) Walter Gillespie

Children, all born in Connecticut.

- I. Mary, b. 25 Nov. 1781 on Sunday, the 10th hour PM and died 27 Sept. 1782, age 10 Mo. and 2 Days.
- II. William, b. 12 July, 1783. Was in German Flats 1810. Had da. Ann, b. 1810, d. 15 Apr. 1844, m. John J. Barhyte, Buried at Saratoga Springs, N.Y.
- III. Mary, b. 11 Mar. 1785, Friday at the 6th hour PM. Died unm. 24 Feb. 1865. Buried in Sunset Hills Cemetery, Clinton, N.Y. Lived in Clinton N.Y. from 1819-1861.
- IV. Walter, b. 4 Feb. 1788, Monday the 8th hour AM (see below)
- V. Alma, b. 25 Feb. 1790 Thurs. 3rd Hour AM. Died 1831-2 East Granby, Conn. Married David Ellsworth 18 Aug. 1818, Westfield. They had (1) Mary Ann, b. 20 June 1819 who married 2 Oct. 1838 Nathaniel Lyman Hayden 11. (2) Phoebe, b. 19 Sept. 1820, who m. 21 Mar. 1845 Daniel B. Phelps. (3) David Gillespie, b. 1 Oct. 1830, d. 11 Sept. 1831. After the death of their mother, the girls lived in Windsor with aunts; and David Ellsworth married (2) Hulda Pinney.
- VI. Marcus, b. 30 Jan. 1792, Mon. 2nd Hour AM. (Probably served in War of 1812 as "Morris Gillespie".
- VII. Menzes, b. 13 Feb. 1794, Thursday 5th Hour AM, Died 17 Nov. 1795 age 1 year, 9 months, 2 days.
- VIII. Menzes, b. 12 Apr. 1796 Thurs. 8th Hour PM. Died 24 Aug. 1846, Columbus, Ohio. He served in the War of 1812 from Hartford, Conn. He moved to Blendon Ohio in 1816 with a number of young men from Windsor. He m. 1 Nov. 1817, Chloe Phelps (da of Edward and Azubah (Moore) Phelps). She was b. 30 May 1799 and d. 9 Oct. 1865. They had six children all born in Blendon (now Columbus) Ohio.
- IX. Jabez, b. 20 Nov. 1798, Tues. 7th Hr. PM. He died at sea, between the 26th of Dec. 1829 and May 31, 1830. He had made at least one trip to the Orient by Oct. 1821. At that time he was sailing for Batavia and China. Cicero Phelps was associated with him. He was in N.Y. in 1822. A Loomis, a Sheldon, and a Bennet, seemed to owe him money. He was back in Boston July 1824, having been to India. In April, 1827, after a trip to Windsor, he was in Boston, and wrote "I have my vessel ready to go to sea, and am only waiting for a few goods from New York. I shall sail, - first to Brazil, then to the Phillipines, then the west coast of America". His last letter, dated 26 Dec.

1829 - "Ship Ga - ⁵¹ - on da Lat. 42 degrees, 26 Min South, Long 56 degrees, 40 min west". He is worried about the situation on board ship. He is intending to leave the ship in South America if the Captain "doesn't reform his conduct". Administrator of the estate of Jabez Gillespie was appointed in Boston, Mass., 31 May, 1830. A suit was filed in Feb. 13, 1833. Money left by Jabez, was paid Mary Ann and Phoeby Ellsworth (daughters of his sister Alma) on July 5, 1834.

X. John Magonan, b. 20 _____ 1801, Wednesday, 10 hour PM. Died before May 29, 1821. He went to Clinton, N.Y. with his mother and his older sister Mary, to live with Walter and Julia (Bush) Gillespie before February, 1819. In a letter of that date, Mary Ellsworth says that they stopped to see Thomas Gillespie in German Flats. In that same letter, to her daughter Alma, she asks about the death of her mother, Chrisiana (Winchell) Holcomb. She said further that "Little John" is as big as his brother Walter. In another letter, dated July 20th, _____ Clinton, Mary writes to Alma that "John has left Clinton, without clothes or money". In another letter, dated May 29, 1821, to Alma, she gave the news that John M. Gillespie had met his death, according to a report given her. So John had run away and ten months later his mother receives the word that he was dead.

WALTER GILLESPIE (son of William and Mary (Holcomb) Gillespie, b. 4 Feb. 1788 on Monday the 8th hour AM in Connecticut (near Windsor), d. 11 Apr. 1858 Clinton, N.Y. Buried Sunset Hill Cemetery, Clinton.

Married, 12 Aug. 1818, by Rev. Knapp, at Westfield, Mass.

JULIA BUSH, b. 1798, Westfield, Mass (da of Amos and Lydia (Sacket) Bush) d. 11 July 1892, age 94, Cazenovia N.Y. Buried beside her husband in Clinton, N.Y.

A number of records have been found of Walter Gillespie, - he seems to have remained in Windsor until he was 21, as Stiles in his book "History of Windsor" lists him as a member of a Methodist class, led by Ethan Barker, in 1807-08. (when he was 20) The next record of him was in Westfield, Mass. A Militia Order, dated at Westfield 25 September 1817, directing Sargent Walter Galaspy to report at the parade ground. Why he was in Westfield is not known, - but it was here he met Julia Bush, and it was here they were married. They must have left Westfield, Mass., just after they were married for Clinton, Kirkland Township, New York. In the book "Oneida County New York History" Walter and Julia were listed as members of a Methodist Class, - in 1818.

According to a letter addressed to Alma (Gillespie) Ellsworth, in February 1819, we learn that Walter's mother, his brother John M., and his sister Mary have come to Clinton to live with Walter.

From Deed Books, it has been found that Walter purchased property in Clinton, as follows:

2 Aug. 1828 3 acres on the S.E. Corner of Green Clinton Village Township of Kirkland (for his home site)

In 1838 he purchased additional property

In 1847 he gave a portion of this property to the Clinton Methodist Church on which to build a church.

Walter Gillespie was a "Blacksmith" a most important man in the life of any town in the early 19th century. He was influential in the establishment of the Methodist Church in Clinton, and a portrait of him hangs in the Church Office (1957) His son-in-law, the Rev. John Hubbard Hall, Jr., was twice the pastor of the church.

On March 11, 1861, three years after her husband's death, Julia Gillespie sold the house in Clinton, and went to live in Cazenovia, Madison County, New York, where she bought a home for herself, her daughter, Julia Ann and her son-in-law the Rev. John Hubbard Hall, Jr. She lived 34 years after her husband's death. Below is a copy of the Obituary (kept by Miss Grace L. Clapp) probably taken from the "Christian Advocate" a methodist magazine.

"Gillespie - Mrs. Julis Gillespie died in Cazenovia, N.Y. July 18, 1892, at the advanced age of 94 years. She was born in Westfield, Mass., and was married in the same place to Walter Gillespie in 1818. In the same year she and her husband moved to Clinton, N.Y., which was their home until the death of Brother Gillespie in 1853. This faithful pair gave their early years, and later years, to the growth and prosperity of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Clinton. They, with another family, were at one time the only Methodists in the place, - preaching was established and a society formed and made part of the Westmoreland circuit. Brother Gillespie was a man of marked mind, and spiritual gifts, and to him and his wife, is largely due the early success of our society in Clinton. Their only daughter, Julia, became the wife of Rev. John Hall, Jr., long an active influential member of the Oneida Conference, and twice the pastor of the Clinton Church. From the death of her husband, Sister Gillespie, resided with her daughter, and most of the time in Cazenovia. She was a woman with great sweetness of character, and of rare intelligence. She has been a reader of the Christian Advocate from its beginning, before it was transferred to New York. Beyond four score and ten, the paper was sa dear companion. In Dr. Buckley's later trips to Europe, she was intensely interested. Slowly, gently, she passed down the long declivity of her blessed life. Her last days were days of great suffering, but the end was perfect peace. The light of her love lives in those for whom she lived, and the daughter and grandchildren call her blessed. With one granddaughter in a parsonage in New England (Nellie Havens) and another, Miss Emma Hall, as our eminent missionary in the city of Rome, Italy, and her grandson a successful educator (Avon S. Hall) her mantle falls on Loving ones, and she rests from her weariness and her labors.
(By Dwight Williams)

Child: born at Clinton, New York

1. Julia Ann, b. 24 Sept. 1822, d. 7 Nov. 1894 Cazenovia, N.Y.

JULIA ANN GILLESPIE (da of Walter and Julia (Bush) Gillespie)
b. 24 Sept. 1822, Clinton, N.Y. d. 7 Nov. 1894
Cazenovia, New York.

Married, 10 June, 1844
Rev. JOHN HUBBARD HALL, Jr., (son of John Hubbard and Mary
(Cornwell) Hall), b. 24 Oct. 1819, Meriden, Conn.,
d. Cazenovia, N.Y. 9 Feb. 1886.

It is regrettable that we do not know more about our grandmother. Our father spoke about the hard times "to make both ends meet" on a minister's salary. He loved her very much and respected her highly. After her husband's death, she came to live with our father and mother for a few years. Charlie and Arthur were small boys, and Agnes a baby. She fell in love with Charlie and made a great pet of him. She loved Arthur too, but it was Charlie she favored. She thought my mother very frivolous, but at the same time she showed her affection toward her in many ways. Every night, at her bedside table, she insisted upon having a donut, a homemade one of course in those days, a glass of milk, and a piece of peppermint candy. She always complained of a "bad taste in my mouth" (and no wonder with a bedside snack of this combination). This phrase became a by-word in our family.

Julia Ann (Gillespie) Hall died in Cazenovia, New York, but buried in the Gillespie-Hall lot in Sunset Hills Cemetery, Clinton, New York. In the center of the lot is a five foot granite column "GILLESPIE-HALL MONUMENT"

- East Face - Mary Ellsworth, mother of Walter Gillespie,
d. 19 Feb. 1840, age 78. Mary (Holcomb) Gillespie
b. Apr. 12, 1761, Poquonock Conn., dau. of Lt. Martin
and Christian (Winchell) Holcomb).
Mary Gillespie b. Mar. 11, 1785 (in or near Windsor,
Conn.) d. 24 Feb. 1865
- South Face- Walter Gillespie, d. Apr. 11 1858 age 70 (b.
Feb. 4, 1788 in or near Windsor, Conn)
Julia Gillespie d. July 11, 1892, age 94 (Julia
Bush b. 1798 in or near Westfield, Mass., da of
Amos and Lydia (Sacket) Bush)
- West Face- Mary Frances Hall d. 2 Sept. 1848 age 3 years 5 mos.
7 das. (b. Apr. 27, 1845 New Hartford, N.Y.)
Arthur Gillespie Hall b. Nov. 12, 1856, d. Mar. 31,
1883 (born in Clinton, N.Y. d. Oberlin, College)
- North Face Rev. John Hubbard Hall, Jr. b. Oct. 24, 1819, d. Feb. 9,
1886. Member of the Central New York Conference
of the M.E. Church. (b. in Fayetteville, N.C. d.
Cazenovia, New York.
Julia Ann his wife and dau of Walter Gillespie
(b. Sept. 24, 1822, Clinton, N.Y. d. Nov. 7, 1894
Cazenovia, N.Y.

THOMZS HOLCOMB (probably son of Gilbert and Ann Holcomb)
born 1591, Pembrokeshire, or Devonshire
England, d. 7 Sept. 1657, Windsor, Conn.

Married, about 1632 in Dorchester, Mass.

Widow ELIZABETH _____ FERGUSON, born in England.

In 1630, with Rev. Maverick, and Rev. John Wareham, a group of about 60 Puritans, including Thomas Holcomb, and Elizabeth, sailed from England on the Ship "Mary and John", for the new world. They landed in May, and founded the town of Dorchester, Mass., which was later annexed to Boston.

In 1632 Thomas Holcomb, and Widow Elizabeth Ferguson were married, two years after they had left England. In May, 1634 Thomas Holcomb was made a "Freeman" of Dorchester.

In the summer of 1635, for some reason, about sixty persons decided to leave Dorchester, for the unknown and wild country of a new settlement at Windsor, Connecticut. They experienced such hardships that most of them perished. Thomas Holcomb and his family were not among the first expedition, but the following year, 1636, headed by Rev. Wareham, they, with another group left Dorchester, better prepared than the first group, and were successful in establishing the town of Windsor. When Thomas and Elizabeth left Dorchester, they took with them babies one and two years of age, which must have been quite an undertaking.

Children:

- I. Elizabeth, b. 1634, Dorchester, Mass., d. 18 July 1712
m. 16 Nov. 1654 Josiah Ellsworth (son of Sir John Ellsworth) b. 1629 in England. He was in Connecticut in 1646.
- II. Mary, b. 1635 Dorchester, Mass., d. 4 Apr. 1708, m.
George Griswold of Windsor, Conn.
- III. Abigail, b. 6 Jan. 1638, Windsor, Conn., m. 11 July 1658
Samuel Bissell
- IV. Joshua, b. 1640, m. Ruth Sherwood
- V. Sarah, b. 14 Aug. 1642, d. 1654
- VI. Benejah, b. 23 June 1644, d. 25 June 1736, m. 11 Apr.
1667, Sarah Eno (da of James and Anna (Bidell) Eno).

BENEJAH HOLCOMB (son of Thos and Widow Elizabeth () (Ferguson) Holcomb), b. 23 June, 1644, Windsor, Conn.
d. 25 June, 1736

Married, 11 April 1667

SARAH ENO (da. of James and Ann (Bidwell) Eno), b. 1649,
d. April, 1732

Benejah Holcomb was made a "Freeman" of Windsor, Conn., in 1669.

Children

- I. Benejah, b. _____
- II. Sarah, b. 1 Feb. 1673, d. 22 Jan. 1763, m. 20 Dec. 1694, Isaac Owen m. (2) 1722 Nathaniel Holcomb (son of Josiah)
- III. James, b. 13 Oct. 1671, d. 11 Feb. 1681
- IV. Abigail, b. 12 May 1681
- V. Samuel, b. 29 Nov. 1683
- VI. Joseph, b. 6 Nov. 1686, d. 3 Apr. 1756, m. 11 Nov. 1714 Mary Winchell
- VII. Benjamin, b. 1689
- VIII. Debora, b. 1690.

JOSEPH HOLCOMB (son of Benejah and Sarah (Eno) Holcomb),
b. 6 Nov. 1686, d. 3 April, 1756

Married, 11 Nov. 1714

MARY WINCHELL (da of David and Elizabeth (Filley) Winchell)
b. 8 Feb. 1685

Joseph Holcomb enlisted 10 July, 1711, in Col. Allyn's Company from Windsor, Connecticut, "to take Canada". He returned to Windsor, on 12th Oct. 1711

Children:

- I. Joseph, b. 5 Aug. 1715, died young
- II. Mary, b. 2 Feb. 1717, d. 20 Apr. 1802, m. 15 Aug. 1739 Isaac Pinney
- III. Elizabeth, b. 9 May 1722, m. 9 Feb. 1743, Josiah Barnard
- IV. David
- V. Martin, b. 21 Nov. 1725, d. 8 Nov. 1798 Poquonock, Conn.

Lt. MARTIN HOLCOMB (son of Joseph and Mary (Winchell) Holcomb)
b. 21 Nov. 1725, d. 8 Nov. 1798, Poquonock, Conn.

Married, 1752

CHRISTIAN WINCHELL (da of Thomas and Jemima (Owens) Winchell)
b. 1 Aug. 1733 Simsbury, Conn. d. 1815

Lt. Martin Holcomb was commissioned by the Connecticut Assembly as Lt. of the 3rd Reg. of Windsor, during the Revolutionary War. His cemetery marker has been removed from the old Poquonock Cemetery to the North Granby Street Cemetery.

Children:

- I. Martin, b. 1753, who served as Drummer boy in the 3rd Co. 2nd Reg. from Windsor under General Spencer (page 47 of "Record of Service of Conn. Men")
- II. Christianna, b. 1755, m. Isaac Griswold
- III. Elizabeth, b. 1757
- IV. Joseph, b. 1759
- V. Mary, b. 12 Apr. 1761, d. 20 Feb. 1840, Clinton, Oneida County, N.Y.
- VI. Medusa, b. 1763
- VII. Roderick, b. 1764, m. Rebecca Winthrop
- VIII. Jabez, b. 1766, m. 27 Nov. 1805, Anne Hosmer, of Hartland, Conn.
- IX. Hermaz, b. 1768

MARY HOLCOMB (da of Lt. Martin and Christian (Winchell) Holcomb)
 b. 12 April, 1761, d. 20 Feb. 1840, Clinton,
 Oneida County, N.Y.
 Married, 15 Sept. 1782, Windsor, Hartford County, Conn.

WILLIAM GILLESPIE, - b. 17 May, 1752
 Married (2) 1806 as his 2nd wife, Jonathan Ellsworth
 of Windsor, Connecticut. He died the same year.

Mary Holcomb married William Gillespie while he was a soldier
 in the Revolutionary War.

See GILLESPIE Line

JAMES ENNO (son of Jean Henno and Catelaine Joue Henno)
bapt. 21 Aug. 1625, Huguenot Church, Threadneedle
Street, London, England, d. 11 July, 1682
Simsbury, Conn.

Married (1) (probably in England _____) who d. Windsor

Married (2) 18 Aug. 1648 Windsor, Conn.

ANNA BIDWELL (either the widow of Richard Bidwell, who was
b. 1581, England, or his daughter) b _____
d. 10 Oct. 1657, Windsor, Conn.

Married (3) 5 Aug. 1658 Poquonock, Conn., Elizabeth
(Ferguson) Holcomb, widow of Thomas Holcomb.
She d. 7 Oct. 1679

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(Williams) Egelston, widow of James Egelston,
and (da. of Hester Williams). She was b.
about 1635, the first white child born in Hartford
Connecticut. She d. 10 July, 1720, aged 86 yrs.

James Enno, the immigrant, came to America before 1646, and
settled in Windsor, Conn. In Stiles' "History of Windsor"
Vol. 1, Page 878, he states that James Enno married probably in
England, and had two children. However, we do not have the
names or birth dates of these children. His wife died in Windsor
in the year 1648, within two years of coming to America. That
same year, he married Anna, our ancestress. She was, most
probably, the widow of Richard Bidwell who died in Windsor, on
25 Dec. 1647. She was the mother of his three children, born
in Windsor.

After Anna died, he married widow Elizabeth (Ferguson) Holcomb
and James Enno, with his three children moved into the Holcomb
homestead. Elizabeth raised the children, along with hers by
her former marriage. Her son, Benijah Holcomb married James
Enno's only daughter, Sarah, - our ancestress.

On the 11th of May, 1665, the Court remits 6 pounds of the fine
imposed on James Enno for his wife (Elizabeth) "selling cider
to the Indians.

Children, b. Windsor, Conn. mother Anna Bidwell

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11. James, b. 1651, d. 16 July 1714, Simsbury, m. Abigail Bissell.
(da of Samuel Bissell) She d. Mar. 1728 Simsbury

111. John, b. 1654.

SARAH ENNO (da of James and Anna (Bidwell) Enno) b. 15 June 1649
d. April 1732, aged 83 years, Simsbury, Conn.

Married (1) 11 Apr. 1667

BENIJAH HOLCOMB (son of Thomas and Elizabeth Holcomb of Poquonock
Conn.) b. 23 June 1644, d. 25 Feb. or June 1736

Married (2) _____ Phelps.

Sarah's father had married Benijah's mother and she had been
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Suffield

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NATHANIEL WINCHELL (son of Robert Winchell) b. before 1634 in Wales, d. 8 Mar. 1699, East Grandby, Conn.

Married, 8 Apr. 1664

SARA PORTER (da. of Thomas and Sarah (Hart) Porter) b. 1646, d. 1725, Windsor, Conn.

Nathaniel Winchell, while an infant, was brought to this country by his father and mother, settling in Dorchester, Mass., about 1634. In 1637 the family migrated to Windsor, Connecticut, where he was raised, where he married, and where all of his children were born. We know that he purchased property in East Grandby, Connecticut, but this must have been after 1683, We know too, that he died in East Grandby.

Children: all born in Windsor, Conn.

- I. Nathaniel, b. 5 Aug. 1665, m. 15 Mar. 1693 Mary Graves.
- II. Thomas, b. 25 May 1667, d. 1697
- III. Stephen, b. 13 Aug. 1677, m. 10 Mar. 1697 Abigail Marshfield
- IV. Sara, b. 26 Dec. 1674, m. 26 Apr. 1690 Josiah Phelps
b. 15 Dec. 1667, d. 4 May 1703. She m (2)
3 June 1713 Joseph Judd
- V. John, b. 1680, m. 3 Jan. 1700 Martha Eno (had 9 children).
- VI. Mary, b. 1683, m. 4 Mar. 1703, Sam Gibbs.

STEPHEN WINCHELL (son of Nathaniel and Sara (Porter) Winchell)
b. 13 Aug. 1677, Windsor, Conn., d. before 1733
(East Grandby, Conn?)

Married, 10 Mar. 1697-8

ABIGAIL MARSHFIELD

Children

- I. Stephen, b. 20 Nov. 1698 (Founder of the Ulster County New York Branch of the Family)
- II. Thomas, b. 2 Apr. 1700, m. 11 May 1725, Jemima Owens.
- III. Caleb, b. 6 Dec. 1701
- IV. Dorothy, b. 2 Oct. 1703
- V. Robert, b. 28 May 1705
- VI. Martin, b. 23 Dec. 1708

Lt. THOMAS WINCHELL (son of Stephen and Abigail (Marshfield) Winchell) b. 2 Apr. 1700, either at Windsor or East Grandby, or even perhaps Simsbury;
d. East Grandby, Conn. (living in 1770)

Married, 11 May 1725, Windsor, Conn.

JEMIMA OWENS (da. of Obidiah and Christian (Winchell) Owens)
b. 18 Nov. 1700, Windsor, Conn. d. East Grandby.

According to Winsor Deeds " August 5, 1738: Thomas Winchell buys land formerly property of honored father Obidiah Owens". In Simsbury Deeds, 5-389, dated March 1733, "Thomas, Caleb, Robert and Martin Winchell, - to our brother Stephen of Simsbury, Conn., land at Turkey Hills, which was our father Stephens". From "Winchell Genealogy" by Newton and

Alexander Winchell, we find that on April 17, 1770, "Lt. Thomas, for 28 pounds, bought of Dea. Samuel Owen, 2 acres and a mansion house at Turkey Hills. From this date, his name disappears from the records. A search of the Simsbury Records, disclosed only one child born to Thomas and Jemima, but there may have been others.

Children:

1. Christian, b. 1 Aug. 1733, Simsbury Conn., Recs.TM
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CHRISTIAN WINCHELL (da of Thomas and Jemima (Owens) Winchell)
b. 1 Aug. 1733, Simsbury, Conn., d. 1815 Simsbury, Conn.

Married, 1752

Lt. MARTIN HOLCOMB (son of Joseph and Mary (Winchell) Holcomb)
b. 21 Nov. 1725.

See HOLCOMB LINE

JOHN OWENS b. 12 Dec. 1624, Wales, d. 1 Feb. 1698 aged 76 yrs.
in Connecticut

Married, 3 Oct. 1650

REBECCA WADE b. _____ d 3 Dec. 1711

John Owens came from Wales, and settled at Windsor, at a place called "Hosford's Lane". Later he moved farther north on the Farmington River at a place called "Polly's Orchard" across from Poquonock.

Children:

- I. Josiah, b. 8 Sept. 1651
- II. John, b. 5 Nov. 1652, died young
- III. John, b. 23 Apr. 1654, d. 13 Jan. 1670
- IV. Nathaniel, b. 9 Aug. 1656, m. 14 June 1694, Mary Gaylord
- V. Daniel, b. 28 Mar. 1658, m. 24 Jan. 1681, Mary Bissell
Je d. 1 Mar. 1682
- VI. Joseph, b. 23 Oct. 1660, Moved to Hebron
- VII. Mary, b. 5 Dec. 1662
- VIII. Benjamin, b. 20 Sept. 1664, d. 26 May, 1665
- IX. Rebecca, b. 28 Mar. 1666, m. Nathan Gillett, Jr.,
- X. Obidiah, b. 12 Dec. 1667, m. 21 Sept. 1693, Christian
Winchell
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CHRISTIAN WINCHELL (da of David and Elizabeth (Filley) Winchell)
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East Grandby, Conn.

Children:

- I. Martha, b. 31 Aug. 1691
- II. Obidiah, b. 8 July 1694, d. 18 July 1694
- III. Jemima, b. 18 Nov. 1700, m. Thomas Winchell, b. 2 Apr. 1700.
- IV. Christian, b. 10 Jan. 1702
- V. Obidiah, b. 8 June 1705, d. 11 Dec. 1728
- VI. Samuel, b. 3 Aug. 1707
- VII. Tabitha, b. 6 Feb. 1709-10, d. 10 June 1714
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See OWENS Line

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 Married 2 Sept. 1642
 MARGARET

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 (da. of Jonathan)
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 (da of Abraham) d. 1 Feb. 1681. She d. 1690.
- III. Mary, b. 1647, d. 26 Aug. 1734, m. 5 Apr. 1666,
 Joseph Skinner, b. 1643
- IV. Elizabeth, bapt. 4 Mar. 1650, m. 1669 David Winchell
 (son of Robert)
- V. Hannah, bapt. 3 July 1653, m. John Bissell (son of
 Samuel).
- VI. Deborah, b. 21 Mar. 1661, m. John Sackett, d. Westfield
 Mass., 20 Dec. 1745.
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Married

GRACE SANDERS (da of John and Ann Sanders of England). After John Bush died, she m.(2) Richard Palmer.

The records state that John Bush came to America in 1635, on the "Alexander", landing in Boston, Mass. The next record is in 1641, in Wells, Maine, and later in Watertown, Mass.

Children:

1. Jonathan, b.1650 Wells Maine, d. 15 Feb. 1739,Enfield, Connecticut.
11. John, b. _____ Sudbury, Mass., m. 13 Jan. 1679, Hannah Pendleton of Springfield, Mass.
111. Samuel, b. 1647,Sudbury, Mass., m.(1) Mary _____ who d. 2 Aug. 1687, m (2) Abigail _____

SAMUEL BUSH (son of John and Grace (Sanders) Bush) b. Sudbury Mass.,1647, d. 17 May 1733 Westfield, Mass.

Married (1) about 1675

MARY _____ who died 2 Aug. 1687

Married (2) 1698, Abigail _____

Samuel B ush was in Suffield, Mass.; in 1679; and in Westfield Mass., in 1686. He was a Selectman of Westfield from 1724 to 1727.

Children

1. Samuel, b. 22 Mar. 1677
11. Daniel, b. 2 Nov. 1678-9
111. Mary, b. 10 July 1682
- 1V. Ebenezer, b. 24 July 1687 (just a week before his mother died)
- V. Abigail, b. 12 June,1705 (da of Samuel. and Abigail) m. 28 Dec. 1722, William Clark

EBENEZER BUSH (son of Samuel and Mary Bush) b. 24 July, 1687, d. 10 Nov. 1757, Westfield, Mass.

Married (1) July, 1710

MIRIAM _____, who d. 13 July, 1752, Westfield, Mass.

Married (2) 30 Nov.1752 Widow Thankful (Hitchcock) Phelps, (da. of Luke, Jr. and Sarah Hitchcock) (widow of Capt. John Phelps) b. 18 Oct. 1686. She m (3) 16 May 1759 Joseph Remington of Suffield. She d. 5 Dec. 1773, Suffield, Mass.

Children: all born in Westfield, Mass. (first wife)

1. Lydia, b. 5 Mar. 1711, m. John Noble (son of Mark and Mary Noble) b. 21 Dec. 1706
11. Ebenezer, Jr. b. 2 June,1713, d. 10 Nov. 1758 Westfield, Mass. m (1) 23 June 1737, Miriam Nobel (sister of John) m (2) 14 Sept. 1753 Widow Susan (Kendall) Remington Kingsley.

- III. Hulda, b. 2 Feb. 1716, m. 8 June 1736 George Phelps
 IV. Zachariah, b. 11 Nov. 1718-19, d. 10 Nov. 1800 Westfield
 Mass., m. Mercy Loomis
 V. David, b. 7 Dec. 1721, d. 18 Dec. 1801, m. 20 Feb. 1752
 Thankful Pettibone, b. 21 Feb. 1720, d. 31 Jan. 1817
 VI. Aaran, b. 30 May 1725, m. 1752, Mary Ashley
 VII. Hannah, b. 25 Jan. 1729, d. 1731
 VIII. Mary, b. _____

AARON BUSH (son of Ebenezer and Miriam Bush) b. 30 May 1725,
 Westfield, Mass.,
 Married, 28 Aug. 1750

MARY ASHLEY (da. of David and Mary (Dewey) Ashley) b. 1723,
 d. 28 Mar. 1768, Westfield, Mass.

In "Lockwood's Westfield and its Historical Influence" appears the diary of Mr. John Ballentine, the "Third Pastor" of the Westfield Church. In it he makes several references to Aaron Bush, David Bagg, Mary Ashley, William Sackett, and others in our line.

April 9th, 1759: suppt at Aaron Bush. Visited David Bagg's wife.

November 30, 1760: William Sackett and wife - gave thanks for recovery from child bearing.

March 28, 1768: Sent for to visit Aaron Bush's wife, dying.

Prayed with her. She died while I was there. Her difficulty was convulsion fits, which disenabled her from speaking and impaired her reason. The indolence of many destroys them, - but her death was occasioned by hard work. She answered some part of Solomon's description of a virtuous woman. "Her candle went not out by night, she layeth her hands on the spindle and her hands hold the distaff, she riseth while it is yet night."

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Also found in this book:

The present residence of Seth Bush, son of Asabel and Sally Bush, is one of the old landmarks of Westfield, - built by his great-grandfather, Aaron Bush, a descendent of Samuel Bush, who moved to Springfield in about the year 1686. It was a noted hotel for many years in "ye olden time", and was one of the famous wayside inns in this section. It is located (in 1878) on Silver Street.

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In "Massachusetts Men in the Revolution, Hampshire County", Aaron Bush's name is listed as one of the men of Westfield "on the day after Lexington, 1st Division".

Bush Street was accepted as a town way at the April Meeting, 1863.

Children

1. Amos, b. 1 Apr. 1754, Westfield, Mass. d. there 10 Mar 1810.

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m (1) Ann Fowler, b. 1760, d. 27 Feb. 1797

m (2) 27 July, 1797

LYDIA SACKETT NOBEL (widow of Solomon Nobel) (da of Capt. William
Lydia (Weller Sackett) b. 23 Aug. 1764, Westfield
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In the Westfield Cemetery, markers of the Amos Bush family are
found, reading as follows:

AMOS BUSH	In Memory of	LYDIA, wife of	Solomon Bush
DIED	Mrs. Ann Bush	Amos Bush	Died
March 10, 1810	consort of	Died Aug 22	Nov. 4, 1848
ae 56	Mr. Amos Bush	1838, aged 74	Aged 44.
	who died		
	27 Feb. 1797		
	aged 37 years.		

Amos and his wife Ann had three sons and one daughter (names not
listed). Amos and Lydia had the following children, all born
in Westfield, Mass.

Children:

1. Julia, b. 1798, d. 1892
11. Anna, bapt. Westfield Church, 12 July, 1812
111. Solomon, b. 1805, d. 4 Nov. 1848

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Married 12 Aug. 1818, Westfield, by Rev. I. Knapp

WALTER GILLESPIE (son of William and Mary (Holcomb) Gillespie)
b. 4 Feb. 1788, Windsor, Conn., d. 11 Apr. 1858
Clinton, New York

See GILLESPIE LINE

ROBERT ASHLEY b. Springfield, Mass., d. 29 Nov. 1682, W est
Springfield, Mass.

Married, shortly after Aug. 7, 1641

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VI. Joseph, b. 6 July, 1652, d. 25 Feb. 1705

DAVID ASHLEY (son of Robert and Mary (Eddy Horton) Ashley)
b. 3 June, 1642, Springfield, Mass., d. 8 Dec. 1718
Westfield, Mass.

Married, 24 Nov. 1663 in New Haven, Conn.

HANNAH GLOVER (da. of Henry and Helena Glover) b. 23 May 1646
in New Haven, Conn., bapt. 26 May by Rev. John
Davenport, and d. 7 June, 1722, Westfield, Mass.

David Ashley settled in Springfield and lived there the first three and a half years of his married life. In 1661, grants of lands had been made to Capt. Pynchon, Robert Ashley and George Colton, at the new settlement then being made at Woronoco, now Westfield, Mass., and David Ashley eventually had his father's title confirmed to him. On Feb. 8, 1663-4, David Ashley received a 30 acre grant at Woronoco, on condition that he and the other grantees were to "pay the Indians for their purchase within three years and that they go there to dwell." He was one of the original grantees of land on the Fort Side (main street) on July 6, 1666. This land was to be settled in their own persons on the last of May, next. He probably removed his family to Westfield in the Spring of 1667. He lived near the confluence of Great and Little Rivers, and styled himself "Yoeman". In March, 1668, a division of territory was made into three parts, and lots cast for it, and David Ashley's lands fell in the first division. In March, 1669, Sacketts Creek was granted to Joseph Whiting and David Ashley, "to set a mill thereon and grind corn".

David Ashley was prominent in the management of Westfield affairs, and held a number of responsible offices. He served as a Juror in 1665, elected Selectman in 1676, 1677, 1679 to 1685, 1694, and 1699; Clerk of the Writs in 1678, 1686 and 1690; and Treasurer of the town in 1694. He united with the Westfield Church January 1, 1679-80, five months after its organization, and took the Freeman's Oath at a court held at Springfield on September 28, 1680. Gravestone of David Ashley and his wife are among the oldest in the old Westfield Cemetery. They are short, irregular slabs, of native stone, and are so weather beaten, they they were decipherec with difficulty:

DAVID
ASHLEY
DYED ON DEC
YE 8 1718
AGED 77 Year

HANNAH
YE WIFE OF
DAVID ASHL
EY DYED ON
JUNE YE 7 1722
AGED 76 YEAR

Children, first 2 in Springfield, others at Westfield, Mass.

- I. Samuel, b. 26 Oct. 1664, m. Sarah Kellogg
- II. David, b. 10 Mar. 1666-7, m. Mary Dewey
- III. John, b. 27 June 1669, m. (1) Sarah Dewey, (2) Mary Sheldon
(3) Hannah Glover
- IV. Joseph, b. 31 July, 1671, m. Abigail Dewey
- V. Sarah, b. 10 Sept. 1673, m. 22 July, 1692, Thos. Ingersoll.
- VI. Mary, b. 26 Dec. 1675, d. 19 July, 1676
- VII. Hannah, b. 26 Dec. 1675 (a twin) m. 13 Sept. 1694,
Nathaniel Eggleston.
- VIII. Jonathan, b. 21 June, 1673, m. Abigail Stebbins
- IX. Abigail, b. 27 Apr. 1681, m. 25 Nov. 1699, Nathaniel Lewis
- X. Mary, b. 3 Mar. 1682, m. 21 Dec. 1709 Benjamin Stebins.
- XI. Rebecca, b. 30 May 1685, m. 1710 Samuel Dewey

Deacon DAVID ASHLEY (son of David and Hannah (Glover) Ashley) b.
10 Mar. 1666-7, Springfield, Mass., d. 7 Aug.
1744 in Westfield, Mass.

Married, 11 July, 1688, Westfield, Mass.

MARY DEWEY (da of Coronet Thomas and Constant (Hawes) Dewey)
and (sister of Abigail Dewey who married Joseph
Ashley, a brother of David's) b. 28 Jan. 1667-8
in Northampton, Mass.; d. 13 Dec. 1757, Westfield, Mass.

David Ashley settled in Westfield. He lived on the south side
of Main Street, buying of his brother Samuel, in 1719, one-half of
their father's homelot. He was a cooper by trade, although in one
deed (of 1728) he is styled "clothier". David Ashley was later
associated with his brother Samuel and Lt. James Dewey in the
ownership of a gristmill on Two Mile Brook, and eventually, it
appears, he bought out his partner's interests.

David Ashley became one of the leading men at Westfield. He
was elected Selectman in 1712 and 1713; Constable in 1707 and
1723; and in 1709, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Gauger and
Packer, which latter office he performed in such a satisfactory
manner that he was reelected to it annually until his death.

Children, all born in Westfield, Mass.

- I. A child, b. 16 July 1689, d. 23 July 1689
- II. Thomas, b. 17 Sept. 1690
- III. David, b. 26 Dec. 1692
- IV. Mary, b. 12 Mar. 1694, m. 8 July 1714, Samuel Kellogg
- V. Elizabeth, b. 3 Mar. 1697, m. 15 May 1718 Dea. James Dewey.
- VI. Abigail, b. 6 Jan. 1700, m. 23 Aug. 1724 David Dewey
- VII. Moses, b. 9 Oct. 1703
- VIII. Hannah, b. 8 Nov. 1706, m. 30 Oct. 1737 Hezekiah Porter
- IX. Isreal, b. 14 Oct. 1710.

DAVID ASHLEY (son of David and Mary (Dewey) Ashley) b. 26 Dec.
1692, Westfield, Mass. and d. there 25 January, 1757
Married, 5 December 1722, Westfield, Mass.
MARY DEWEY (da. of Capt. Adijah and Sarah (Root) Dewey) and (sister
of the wives of David Ashley's cousins, Aaron
Ashley and Rev. Joseph Ashley) b. 18 Sept.
1701 in Westfield, Mass.

David Ashley settled in his native town and styled himself
"Husbandman". Like most of the Westfield Ashleys, he was
interested in the settlement in the Housatonic Valley, and in
1752, he deeded to his son, Oliver, then a resident of Sheffield,
a piece of land and an eighth interest in a saw mill at
"Pontoosick, north of Stockbridge".

He served in his father-in-law's company of troopers, from
September 3rd to September 25th, 1723, in "Father Rasle's War".
He, rather than his son of the same name probably was the
"David Ashley" who was impressed with the 13 other men to make
up a deficiency in Capt. Elisha Noble's Company in the South
Hampshire Reg., in the Expedition against Crown Point, in 1755.

His gravestone is in the old Westfield Cemetery, and is inscribed:

In Memory of
Mr. David Ashley
Who Died
January ye 25th
A.D. 1757 In
ye 65th year
of his age.

Children, all born in Westfield, Mass.

- I. Mary, b. 27 Oct. 1723, m. 28 Aug. 1750 Aaron Bush
- II. Oliver, b. 15 Sept. 1725
- III. Simeon, b. 29 June 1729
- IV. Mercy, b. 29 Oct. 1731, m. 13 May 1756 Joseph Leonard
- V. Thankful, b. 3 Dec. 1733, m. 27 Nov. 1764 Aaron Ely
- VI. Dorcas, b. 25 Apr. 1736, m. 19 July 1764 Gerard Pratt
- VII. Elizabeth, b. 20 Dec. 1739, m. 27 Dec. 1763 John Williams.
- VIII. Bethia, b. 8 Mar. 1741
- IX. Kezia, b. 4 Oct. 1745.

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Married, 1688

SARAH ROOT (da of John and Mary (Ashley) Root) b. 2 Sept. 1670
Westfield, Mass.

A search of the records should be made on Abijah Dewey, - why he was given the title of "Captain" and other details. All that we know about him is that he was born in Northampton, and later removed to Westfield, where his children were born.

Children

1. Mary, b. 18 Sept. 1701, Westfield, Mass., m. David Ashley, who was b. 26 Dec. 1692
11. Abijah, b. 30 Sept. 1693, Westfield, m. 11 Jan. 1733 Mercy Ashley. He d. 31 Jan. 1753.

MARY DEWEY (da. of Capt. Abijah and Sarah (Root) Dewey,
b. 18 Sept. 1701, Westfield, Mass.

Married,

DAVID ASHLEY (son of David and Mary (Dewey) Ashley), b. 26 Dec. 1692.

See ASHL EY Line

JOHN ROOT, Sen. "of Farmington, Conn", born in England
 (son of John and Ann (Russell) Roote) d. 1684
 Married about 1640
 MARY (or Marie) KILBORNE, born in England, (da of Thomas
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John Roote, the immigrant, known as "John Roote, Sen." or
 "Goodman Roote", settled first in Farmington, Conn., and
 later in Mattatuck (afterwards known as Waterbury, Conn.).
 He subscribed to the Articles of Settlement, adopted by the
 Planters of Mattatuck, and was accepted, in behalf of one of
 his sons, the Original Proprietor, January 15, 1678. In 1677,
 he was one of the committee to take into consideration the
 expediency of changing the village site. In the "History of
 Berlin" on Page 118, appears his Will, dated April 21, 1684.
 He mentions his wife Mary, his sons, Joseph, Caleb and Steven,
 and a daughter Mary, the wife of Isaac Brunson.

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1. John, b. about 1642 Farmington, Conn. m. Mary Ashley
- II. Joseph
- III. Caleb
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- V. Mary, m. Isaac Brunson

JOHN ROOTE (son of John and Mary (Kilborne) Roote), b. abt. 1642
 Farmington, Conn. d. 24 Sept. 1687, Westfield, Mass.
 Married, by Rev. Fayette Chapin, 18 Oct. 1664
 MARY ASHLEY (da of Robert and Widow Mary (Eddy (Horton) Ashley)
 b. 6 Feb. 1644, Springfield, Mass., d. 9 March 1702.

John Roote's name is among those who had a "division of fence"
 in 1680 in Waterbury, Conn., but it doubtful that he ever lived
 there, as "he is spoken of no more" in Waterbury. He removed
 to Westfield, Mass., probably before 1664. John Roote, Jr.,
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 Court of Mass. allowed him £ 14, in 1680, for his services.
 He died at the age of 44 or 45, leaving an Estate valued at
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JOHN 1, about 44 yea.
 He dyed the 24 of Sept. 1687

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See DEWEY Line

THOMAS KILBORNE, born 1573, Parish of Wood, Ditton County
of Cambridge, England, d. Wetherfield, Conn.,
before Dec. 25, 1640

Married in England, 5 Sept. 1604

FRANCES MOODY (da of George and Margaret (Newce) Moody) of
Moulton, England. She was bapt. 11 Oct. 1584

It is seldom that such complete information is found from
England, - and nothing found of his activities in America.
Since he was born in England, and died in Wetherfield, Conn.,
he was the immigrant and founder of the families bearing his
name. We have found, however, only a daughter, Mary, but
there were probably others.

Children

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MARY KILBORNE (da of Thomas and Frances (Moody) Kilborne)
b. probably in Wetherfield, Conn.

Married, about 1640

JOHN ROOTE, Sen. of Farmington (son of John and Ann (Russell)
Roote)

See ROOTE Line

ROBERT ASHLEY b. Springfield, Mass., d. 29 Nov. 1682, W est
Springfield, Mass.

Married, shortly after Aug. 7, 1641

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See Roote Line

SIMON SACKETT, born in England, about 1600, died in Newton, Mass., Oct. 1635.

Married in England.

ISABEL

Simon Sackett, the immigrant, came to America on the Ship "Lyon" in 1630, and first settled in Boston. On December 1, 1630 the ship "Lyon" sailed from Bristol with 26 names on the register- Roger Williams, Simon and John Sackett, - Simon included his wife Isabel, and their infant son Simon, Jr. The ship reached Boston, February 5, 1631, a trip of 67 days. By 1632 he had removed to Newton, Mass., now known as Cambridge. The house in Newton, built and occupied by Simon and his family, stood on the north side of what is now Winthrop Street in the center of the block between Brighton and Dunster. It is recorded that Simon died from illness contracted on the voyage to America.

Children:

1. Simon, Jr. b. 1630, England, d. 9 July 1659, m. abt. 1652 Sarah Bloomfield (da. of William Bloomfield)
11. John, b. 1632, Newton, Mass., d. 8 Oct. 1719 Westfield Mass., m. Abigail Hannum

JOHN SACKETT (son of Simon and Isabel Sackett) b. 1632, Newton, Mass., d. 8 Oct. 1719 Westfield, Mass. age 87.

Married, 23 Nov. 1659, in Northampton, Mass.

ABIGAIL HANNUM (da of William and Honor (Capen) Hannum) b. 22 Nov. 1640, Windsor, Conn. d/ 9 Oct. 1690.

Married (2) in 1691, Sarah (Stiles) Steward, Widow of John Steward and (da. of John Stiles). She d. 1712.

John Sackett was, as far as known, the first white child born in Newton (now Cambridge) Mass. He removed to Northampton about 1659, and thence to Westfield in 1667. About a year after Abigail's death, he married Sarah. A daughter of the second wife, by her first husband, was taken captive by the Indians, and carried to the northwest part of New York, and later married an Indian. She remained with the Indians as long as she lived, coming back occasionally to visit her family, and trying to get some of them to go back with her.

In 1665, John and Abigail, and their four children, moved to a farm in Westfield, Mass. In Westfield, he was chosen Selectman in 1672, and held the office as late as 1693. During King Philips War, which commenced in 1675, John Sackett's house, barn, and entire contents of each, burnt to the ground.

In the "Old Graveyard" at Westfield, stones were erected in the south east corner to "John Sackett" and "Sarah Sackett", her name and that she died in 1712, aged 80. There is also a stone for Abigail, and that she died in 1690, aged 59. John Sackett's Will mentions his grandson "William Sackett, the son of Samuel, Deceased". William was made executor of the Will.

Children: First 4 in Northampton, last 3 in Westfield

1. John, b. 4 Nov. 1660, m. Deborah Filley, d. 20 Dec. 1745
- II. William, b. 20 Apr. 1662, m. Hannah Graves, d. 28 Mar. 1700.
- III. Abigail, b. 1 Dec. 1663, m. John Noble, d. 3 July, 1683.
- IV. Mary, b. 1665, d. 19 Nov. 1667.
- V. Hannah, b. 7 Mar. 1669, m. (2) Ben Newbury, d. 30 Aug. 1749
- VI. Mary, b. 8 June, 1672, m. Benj. Mosely, d. 1729
- VII. Samuel, b. 16 Sept. 1674, m. Elizabeth Bissell, d. 8 Nov. 1709.

SAMUEL SACKETT (son of John and Abigail (Hannum) Sackett)
b. 16 Sept. 1674, Westfield, Mass. d. 8 Nov. 1709
Westfield, Mass.

Married, 1698

ELIZABETH BISSELL (da of Samuel and Abigail (Holcomb) Bissell)
b. 4 Jan. 1677. She m (2) in 1712, John Root,
and had four children. John Root d. 1 May 1731.

Children, all born in Westfield, Mass.

1. William, b. 1700, m. Hannah Bagg, d. 1756
- II. Elizabeth, b. 20 Feb. 1702, m. Luke Noble, d. 22 Nov. 1755
- III. Samuel, b. 1704, m. Ruth Trumbell, d. 1760
- IV. Benoni, b. 18 May 1710, m. Mindwell Smith, d. 6 Apr. 1783

WILLIAM SACKETT (son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bissell) Sackett)
b. 1700, Westfield, Mass. d. 8 Nov. 1756, Westfield.

Married, April, 1724 (int. filed Westfield Mar. 21, 1724)

HANNAH BAGG (da of Daniel and Hannah (Phelps) Bagg) b. 6 Oct. 1695
Westfield, Mass.

William Sackett left the following Will, dated 9 November, 1752

"I, William Sackett, of Westfield, in the County of Hampshire, Province of Massachusetts Bay, in New England, being in comfortable health, IMPRIMUS, I give and bequeath unto Hannah my beloved wife, the improvements of one-third of my real estate as long as she remain my widow, and one-third of all my personal estate for her disposal, - furthermore, and, also my riding horse or mare, over and abovewhat has been given.

"Item, - I give unto my daughter, Hannah Noble, my farm at Munhard River, by David T. Solomon Root farm, containing 50 or 60 acres, and also 15 pounds lawful money.

"Item, - I give to my son William, all the remainder of the estate, real or personal.

"Item, - I now constitute and appoint my son William, sole executor of this my last will and testimony.

Children:- all born in Westfield, Mass.

1. William, b. 7 Sept. 1730, m. Lydia Weller, d. 2 Feb. 1802,
- II. Hannah, b. 6 July, 1725, m. _____ Noble
- III. Moses, b. 15 Dec. 1727, d. 10 Oct. 1743, unm.

Capt. WILLIAM SACKETT (son of William and Hannah (Bagg) Sackett)
 b. 7 Sept. 1730, Westfield, Mass. d. 2 Feb. 1802
 Westfield, Mass.

Married, 10 Jan. 1760

LYDIA WELLER (da of Jonathan and Mary (Bridgeman) Weller),
 b. 13 Feb. 1739, Westfield, Mass. d. 17 May, 1829,
 in her 89th year,

Capt. William Sackett served in the Revolution, in the 5th Reg.
 Continental Lines.

Children:

1. Mollie, b. 14 Oct. 1760, d. 8 Apr. 1809
11. William, b. 29 Aug. 1763, m. Olive Dean
111. Lydia, b. 27 Oct. 1764, d. 22 Aug. 1838, m. (1) Solomon Noble (2) Amos Bush (3) Samuel Judd
- 1V. Moses, b. 3 Dec. 1766, d. 1850, m. Tryphena Hiscock
- V. Royal, b. 12 June 1769, d. 5 May 1804, m. Catherine Noble
- VI. Joel, b. 23 Jan. 1772
- VII. James, b. 15 Sept. 1774, m. Nancy Holcomb
- VIII. John, b. 28 Feb. 1780, d. 5 Jan. 1807

LYDIA SACKETT (da of Capt. William Sackett, and Lydia (Weller Sackett) b. 27 Oct. 1764, Westfield, Mass.
 d. 22 Aug. 1838, aged 74

Married (1) 16 Mar. 1785, Solomon Noble (son of Samuel) b. 17 May, 1760 Westfield, Mass., d. 11 May 1786 Westfield. They had one child, Lydia, born in Chester, Mass. 28 Dec. 1785 Lydia Noble m. 9 Sept. 1804 Hon Daniel Mosely, b. 25 Feb. 1786 (son of Pliny and Abigail (Chapin) Mosely) They had 10 children

Married (2), 12 July, 1797.

AMOS BUSH (son of Aaron and Mary (Ashley) Bush) b. 4 April 1754
 d. 10 Mar. 1810

Married (3) in 1813, Samuel Judd (son of Samuel and Naomi (Noble) Judd) b. 1775, d. 1832

See BUSH Line

WILLIAM HANNUM, b _____ d. 1 June, 1677

Married

HONOR CAPEN b _____ d. 1680, Westfield, Mass.

The records show that William Hannum was a "Proprietor" of Dorchester, Mass., in 1635, and that he moved to Windsor Connecticut in 1637. It is quite certain that he knew our ancestor Thomas Holcomb, who was also in Dorchester at this time, who also migrated to Windsor in 1636. William Hannum sold his property in Windsor to Robert Winchell, another ancestor of ours. The next record found of him was in 1657 in Northampton, Mass. There is also the record that "W idow Honor Hannum died 1680, Westfield, Mass."

Children:

- I. Abigail, b. 22 Nov. 1640, Windsor, Conn.
m. 23 Nov. 1659 John Sackett
- II. Joanna, b. 24 July, 1642, Windsor, Conn.
- III. Elizabeth, b. 24 Apr. 1645, Windsor, Conn.
- IV. Mary, b. 5 Apr. 1646, Windsor, Conn.
- V. Susanna, b. and d. 1647, Windsor, Conn.

ABIGAIL HANNUM (da of William and Honor (Capen) Hannum) b.
22 Nov. 1640, Windsor, Conn. d. 9 Oct. 1690

Married, 23 Nov. 1659

JOHN SACKETT (son of Simon and Isabel Sackett), b. 1632,
died 1717, Westfield, Mass.

See SACKETT Line

JOHN BISSELL, b. Somersetshire County, England in 1590, d.
Windsor, Conn., 13 Oct. 1677.

Married in England

ELIZABETH THOMPSON (or Thomas) b. in England and d. 26, or 21
May, 1641, Windsor, Conn.

John Bissell came to America in 1628, on the ship "Mary & John" with his wife and three children, born in England, - landing in Plymouth, Mass. In 1640 he removed to Windsor, Conn., and he was the first settler on the east bank of the Connecticut River. He owned the Scantic Ferry, and was, in his day, one of the leading men of the locality. The ferry line was near Windsor, and he ran it from 1641 to 1658. His home was on the river, a stone house, which was later used as a fort. He died in this stone house. His son John ran the ferry for the next ten years, and other sons ran it until 1677. The home went to his son Nathaniel.

John Bissell's Huguenot Bible is in Weston, Pennsylvania.

Children:

1. Capt. John, b. England, m. 17 June 1658, Windsor,
Isabel Mason (da. of Maj. John Mason and his
first wife of Saybrook Conn) b. before 1637,
d. 29 Mar. 1665. They had 8 children.
- II. Thomas, b. England, m. 1655, Abigail Moore (da of
Dea. John Moore) They had 9 children born in
Windsor
- III. Mary, b. England, m. 12 Apr. 1649, Jacob Drake
- IV. Samuel, b. 1636, Plymouth, Mass. d. 17 May 1697-8,
Windsor, Conn.
- V. Nathaniel, b. 24 Sept. 1640, Windsor, Conn., d. 12 March
1713, m. 25 Apr. 1662, Mindwell Moore (da of
Dea. John Moore. She d. 24 Nov. 1682. He m (2)
4 July 1683 Dorothy Fitch, who d. 28 June 1691.
- VI. Joyce, b. 1641, m. 7 Nov. 1665, Samuel Pinney

SAMUEL BISSELL (son of John and Elizabeth (Thompson) Bissell)
b. Plymouth, Mass., 1636, d. 17 May 1697-8
(or 3 Dec. 1700) Windsor, Conn.

Married (1) 11 June 1658, Windsor, Conn.

ABIGAIL HOLCOMB (da. of Thomas and Elizabeth (Ferguson) Holcomb)
b. 6 Jan. 1638, bapt. 6 June 1638, Windsor,
Conn., d. 17 Aug. 1688, age 50, Windsor, Conn.

When Samuel was three years old, the family moved from Plymouth Mass., to Windsor, Connecticut, - in the year 1639, the new settlement made up of the English from Dorchester Mass., and the neighboring towns. The next record found of him was on Nov. 27, 1659, when it was noted that he "owned the Half-Way Covenant, in the Windsor Church".

Under date of 15 Dec. 1660, the following appears in the records at Windsor regarding a claim entered by Abigail (Holcomb) Bissell:

"Samuel Bissell, her husband, deposes in Court and says 'On this 15th day of December, 1660, I doe acknowledge to have received of my father Enno of my wife's portion the whole sum'".

To understand this, we might explain that Abigail's father had died, and her mother, Elizabeth (Ferguson) Holcomb, had married James Enno, as his third wife. That is why Samuel calls Abigail's father "Enno". Abigail's father, Thomas Holcomb died 7 Sept. 1657 at Windsor, and this claim was probably in connection with the settlement of the estate.

Children, all born in Windsor, Conn.

- I. John, b. 5 Apr. 1659, d. 27 Jan. 1684, m. 26 Aug. 1680
Hannah Filley (da of William and Margaret Filley)
She d. 8 Jan. 1707
- II. Abigail, b. 6 July, 1661, d. Mar. 1728, Simsbury, m.
James Enno, b. 1651, d. 16 July, 1714, Simsbury.
- III. Jacob, b. 28 Mch. 1664, d. 1 Aug. 1694, Simsbury,
m. Mary Gillett, who m. (2) Peter Buell.
- IV. Mary, b. 15 Sept. 1666, m. 1692 John Pettibone, Jr.,
He d. 18 Sept. 1741
- V. Samuel, b. 11 Jan. 1668, m. abt. 1689 Mary, who d.
24 June 1718. He d. 19 March 1697 Windsor Conn.
- VI. Benija, b. 30 June, 1671.
- VII. Elizabeth, b. 4 Jan. 1677, died, Westfield, Mass. m.
Samuel Sackett, b. 10 Oct. 1674 d. 8 Nov. 1707
- VIII. Deborah, b. 29 Oct. 1678-9, m. Stephen Pettibone.
- IX. Hannah, b. 18 Sept. 1682, m. Nathaniel Phelps.

ELIZABETH BISSELL (da of Samuel and Abigail (Holcomb) Bissell)
b. 4 Jan. 1677

Married 1698

SAMUEL SACKETT (son of John and Abigail (Hannum) Sackett)
b. 16 Sept. 1674 Westfield, Mass. d. 8 Nov. 1709
Westfield, Mass.

Married (2) in 1712, John Root (son of John and Mary
(Ashley) Root, b. 28 Dec. 1672, d. 1 May 1731
(He was the brother of Sarah Root who married
Adijah Dewey).

In the Windsor Connecticut Records, we found "Elizabeth Bissell, darter of Samuel, bapt. 6 Jan. 1677." Also on record is that Elizabeth received 75 pounds from her father's estate.

See SACKETT Line

THOMZS HOLCOMB (probably son of Gilbeft and Ann Holcomb)
born 1591, Pembrokeshire, or Devonshire
England, d. 7 Sept. 1657, Windsor, Conn.

Married, about 1632 in Dorchester, Mass.

Widow ELIZABETH _____ FERGUSON, born in England.

In 1630, with Rev. Maverick, and Rev. John Wareham, a group of about 60 Puritans, including Thomas Holcomb, and Elizabeth, sailed from England on the Ship "Mary and John", for the new world. They landed in May, and founded the town of Dorchester, Mass., which was later annexed to Boston.

In 1632 Thomas Holcomb, and Widow Elizabeth Ferguson were married, two years after they had left England. In May, 1634 Thomas Holcomb was made a "Freeman" of Dorchester.

In the summer of 1635, for some reason, about sixty persons decided to leave Dorchester, for the unknown and wild country of a new settlement at Windsor, Connecticut. They experienced such hardships that most of them perished. Thomas Holcomb and his family were not among the first expedition, but the following year, 1636, headed by Rev. Wareham, they, with another group left Dorchester, better prepared than the first group, and were successful in establishing the town of Windsor. When Thomas and Elizabeth left Dorchester, they took with them babies one and two years of age, which must have been quite an undertaking.

Children:

- I. Elizabeth, b. 1634, Dorchester, Mass., d. 18 July 1712
m. 16 Nov. 1654 Josiah Ellsworth (son of Sir
John Ellsworth) b. 1629 in England. He was in
Connecticut in 1646.
- II. Mary, b. 1635 Dorchester, Mass., d. 4 Apr. 1708, m.
George Griswold of Windsor, Conn.
- III. Abigail, b. 6 Jan. 1638, Windsor, Conn., m. 11 July 1658
Samuel Bissell.
- IV. Joshua, b. 1640, m. Ruth Sherwood
- V. Sarah, b. 14 Aug. 1642, d. 1654
- VI. Benejah, b. 23 June 1644, d. 25 June 1736, m. 11 Apr.
1667, Sarah Eno (da of James and Anna (Bidell)
Eno).

ABIGAIL HOLCOMB (da of Thomas and Widow Elizabeth () (Ferguson)
 Holcomb) b. 6 Jan. 1638, Windsor, Conn.,
 Married, 11 July 1658, Windsor, Conn
 SAMUEL BISSELL (son of John and Elizabeth (Thompson) Bissell)
 b. 1636 Plymouth, Mass., d. 3 Dec. 1700
 Windsor, Conn.

See BI SSELL Line

JOHN BAGG b. _____ d. 5 Sept. 1683, Springfield, Mass.

Married, 24 Dec. 1657

HANNAH BURT (da. of Henry and Eulalia (Marche) Burt) b. 28 April, 1641, d. 1 Aug. 1680, Springfield, Mass.

John Bagg came to Springfield about twenty years after the settlement was begun. First mention of his name in the town records was in 1657. It is presumed that he was married in America. His grants of land were all on the west side of the Connecticut River, mostly in the meadow below or near Rileys Brook. Nothing further has been found regarding his activities in Springfield. Hannah, his wife died just six days after the birth of her daughter Abelene; and John died just three years later, leaving seven children under eighteen years of age. No record has been found who was given guardianship.

John Bagg took the Oath of Allegance in Springfield, Mass., in 1668

Children, born in Springfield, Mass.

- I. Hannah, b. 8 Sept. 1658, m. Nathaniel Sikes (2) Samuel Miller. She d. 13 May 1740.
- II. Mercy, b. 23 Nov. 1660, m. Ebenezer Jones, d. 7 Apr. 1738
- III. Daniel, b. 10 Nov. 1663, d. 7 Dec. 1663
- IV. John, b. 26 Mch. 1665, m. Mercy Thomas (da of Rowland Thomas)
- V. Daniel, b. 12 May 1668, d. 18 Aug. 1738, m. Hannah Phelps
- VI. Jonathan, b. 2 Nov. 1670, d. 6 Oct. 1746, m. Mary Weller b. 11 Sept. 1672
- VII. Abigail, b. 22 Apr. 1673, d. 18 Aug. 1738, m. Benj. Cooley
- VIII. James, b. 1675, d. 13 Sept. 1689
- IX. Sarah, b. 2 Apr. 1678, m. Benoni Atchison (son of John and Deliverance Atchison) m (2) Samuel Barnard
- X. Abelene, b. 25 July 1680, d. 12 Nov. 1750

DANIEL BAGG (son of John and Hannah (Burt) Bagg) b. 12 May 1668, d. 18 Aug. 1738

Married, 18 Jan. 1693 by John P ynchon

HANNAH PHELPS (da of Capt. Isaac and Ann (Gaylord) Phelps), b. 5 Nov. 1674 according to Church Records, but in the Hampshire County Records, her birth is given as 5 Nov. 1675.

The only information found concerning Daniel Bagg, was the copy of his will, written 27 June 1737. In it he leaves to his wife certain property, and

"One end of her part of the cellar, one-half of the garden, one-quarter of the orchard, and land by the house called the homestead, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres. To daughter Hannah, £ 100 with what had."

The will goes on listing his possessions, and his wishes in the distribution.

Children:

1. Hannah, b. 6 Oct. 1695 Westfield, Mass. m. Capt. William Sacket
- II. Daniel, b. 24 Feb. 1697
- III. Ebenezer, b. 9 Nov. 1700, d. 21 Dec. 1700
- IV. Rachel, b. 23 June 1702
- V. Ann, b. 30 Jan. 1704
- VI. Abigail, b. 15 Sept. 1707
- VII. Ruth, b. 20 Jan. 1709
- VIII. Margaret, b. 26 Oct. 1712
- IX. Sarah, b. 7 Nov. 1714
- X. David, b. 19 Feb. 1717, d. 17 May 1760, m. Elizabeth Mosely

HANNAH BAGG (da of Daniel and Hannah (Phelps) Bagg) b. 6 Oct. 1695, Westfield, Mass.

Married, April 1724

Capt. WILLIAM SACKET (son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bissell) Sacket) b. 25 July 1690 Westfield, Mass., d. 8 Nov. 1756.

No marriage record has been found but it is quite certain they were married in April, 1724. Their Marriage Intentions were filed in Westfield Records on 21 March 1724-5. In the Sackett Genealogy, the marriage is given as "April, 1724".

See SACKETT Line

HENRY BURT, born in England, d. 30 April, 1662, Springfield, Mass.
 Married,
 EULALIA MARCHE, born in England, d. 19 August 1690, Springfield
 Mass.

Henry Burt, the immigrant, came from England, prior to 1638. His name appears in Roxbury in 1638, and in Springfield in 1640. He brought with him a large family, three sons, and four daughters, and he then had four daughters born in Springfield, Mass. He was chosen on the first Board of Selectmen, in 1644, and served in that office for ten years. At the time of his decease, he was Clerk of Writs, an officer whose duty it was to keep records of births, deaths, and marriages. His handwriting appears on upwards of twenty pages of the town records.

From his daughter Abigail, descended Grover Cleveland; from his daughter Elizabeth, Silas Wright the Governor of New York and U.S. Senator; from Mercy, Ethan Allen; from Dorcas, Oliver W. Holmes; AND from Hannah, Avon Stacy Hall, our father.

Children: first 7 born England, remaining, Springfield, Mass.

- I. Jonathan, born about 1630
- II. Nathaniel, born about 1636
- III. Sarah, b. _____ m. 20 June, 1643 Judah Gregory and
 (2) Henry Wakeley
- IV. Abigail, b. _____ m (1) 8 May 1644 Francis Ball;
 (2) 2 Feb. 1649 Benj. Munn (3) 14 Dec. 1671
 Lt. Thos. Stebbins
- V. Elizabeth, b. _____ m. 24 Nov. 1653 Sam'l Wright, Jr.
- VI. Mary, b. 1634, m. 18 Oct. 1654, Wm. Brooks (had 17 children)
 d. 1689
- VII. David, b. _____
- VIII. Dorcas, b. 19 ****1643, m. 28 Oct. 1658 John Stiles
- IX. Hannah, b. 28 Apr. 1641, m. 24 Dec. 1657, John Bagg
- X. A daughter, b. 1643
- XI. Patience, b. 18 Aug. 1645, m. 7 Oct. 1667 John Bliss
 (son of Thos. and Margaret Bliss)
- XII. Mercy, b. 27 Sept. 1647, m. 8 Jan. 1667 Judah Wright

HANNAH BURT (da of Henry and Eulalia (Marche) Burt) b. 28 Apr.
 1641, Springfield, Mass. d. 1 Aug. 1680
 Married, 24 Dec. 1657
 JOHN BAGG, THE immigrant.

RICHARD WELLER, of Windsor, Conn., d. 14 Nov. 1686 in Mass.

Married (1), 17 Sept. 1640, Windsor, Conn.

ANN WILSON, b. _____ d. 10 July, 1659

, Windsor, Conn.

Married (2) 22 June 1662, Widow Elizabeth (Abell) Curtis
widow of Henry Curtis of New Haven, Conn.

Richard and Ann Weller lived next to William and Margaret Filley in Windsor, Conn., from 1640 to 1659, when Ann died. He was in Farmington and then New Haven in 1662, when he married for the second time, Widow Elizabeth Curtis. In November, 1673, he was in Deerfield, Mass.

Children, all born in Windsor, Conn., by first wife

- I. Rebecca, b. 10 May 1641
- II. Sarah, b. 10 Apr. 1643, m. 20 Nov. 1662, John Hannum
- III. John, b. 10 Apr. 1643, m. Mary Alvord
- IV. Nathaniel, bapt. 15 July 1648, m. Deliverance Hanchett
- V. Eleazor, b. 20 Nov. 1650, m. Hannah Pritchard.
- VI. Thomas, b. 10 Apr. 1653 (was in Deerfield, Mass., in 1676)

ELEAZOR WELLER (son of Richard and Ann (Wilson) Weller)

b. 20 Nov. 1650 Windsor, Conn., d. 16 Aug.

1684, Westfield, Mass.

Married, in Westfield, Mass., 14 Nov. 1674

HANNAH PRITCHARD (da of William and Elizabeth (Allyn) Pritchard)

Died 21 May, 1682

We know that Elezaor Weller was a servant in 1665 to the wife of William Westwood, as in her will, dated December 27, 1665, at Hadley, Mass., she stated "Also I give to my servant Eleazor Weller, Three Pounds to be payd him in a heifer when his time of apprenticeship shall expire." William Westwood was the guardian of Thomas Lee, and a large land owner. Eleazor Weller was a soldier in King Philips War, in the "Falls Fight" with the Mohawk Indians.

" Westfield was represneted in the Falls Fight by 7 garrison soldiers of whom 3 were slain (according to Bartlett) and three citizen volunteers (according to Sheldon's patiently collected list) namely, John Lee, Eleazor Weller and Thomas Weller"

Children

- I. Eleazor, b. 8 Oct. 1675, m. Mary Phelps
- II. Hannah, b. 16 Feb. 1678
- III. Elizabeth, b. 17 April 1680
- IV. A child, b. 19 May, 1682, d. 21 May 1684 (the mother died when this child was born, and the father three months after it died.)

Children, - born in Westfield, Mass.

- I. Eleazor, b. 8 Oct. 1675, m. Mary Phelps
- II. Hannah, b. 16 Feb. 1678
- III. Elizabeth, b. 17 April 1680
- IV. A child, b. 19 May, 1682, d. 21 May 1684 (the mother died when this child born, and the father died three months after child died)

ELEAZOR WELLER (son of Eleazor and Hannah (Pritchard) Weller)
b. 8 Oct. 1675, Westfield, Mass.

Married
MARY PHELPS

Children, born in Westfield, Mass.

- I. Mary, b. _____ m. 1 Feb. 1732, Daniel Sacket (1693-1776)
- II. Jonathan, b. 3 Sept. 1705, d. 1 Aug. 1744, aged 38

JONATHAN WELLER (son of Eleazor and Mary (Phelps) Weller)
b. Westfield, Mass., 3 Sept. 1705, d. 1 Aug. 1744.
Married (Intentions dated 9 Oct. 1731)

MARY BRIDGEMAN (da. of James 1678-1728) and Elizabeth (Ellis) Bridgeman b. 21 Oct. 1707 at Northampton. She m (2) 2 Dec. 1752 Noahdiah Gillett. She d. 30 Jan. 1789. She joined the Westfield Congr. Church from Sunderland, 9 Nov. 1731

Children

- I. Mary, b. 1732, drowned at age 22
- II. Moses, b. 1734
- III. Aaron, b. 1736
- IV. Lydia, b. 13 Feb. 1738-9, m. William Sacket
- V. John, b. 1742
- VI. Mercy

LYDIA WELLER (da. of Jonathan and Mary (Bridgeman) Weller)
b. 13 Feb. 1738-9, d. 19 May, 1829

Married 1760

WILLIAM SACKET (son of William and Hannah (Bagg) Sacket)
b. 7 Sept. 1730, Westfield, Mass., d. 2 Feb. 1802, Westfield, Mass.

See Sacket Line.

JAMES BRIDGMAN, b. Probably Winchester County, Hants, England,
 d. Northampton, Mass., 17 March 1676
 Married, (Probably) Hartford, Conn., 1641-2
 SARAH _____ death recorded 31 Aug. 1688.

James Bridgman came to America prior to 1640. The first record of him, in the country, is in Hartford Conn. He was a carpenter by trade. His oldest child was born in Hartford. In 1643 he moved to Springfield, Mass., the first mention of him being there when "Goodman B ridgman had the fourth draw" or choice of land. He received " 4 acres planting lot facing on ye great river" (Springfield Town Records, Vol.1, Page 32). At that same time, other lands were given him on both sides of the Connecticut River. His home lot was the one previously owned by Thomas Horton "the fifth Homestead south of ye way to the training place" which "way" is the modern Elm Street. The home lots all fronted on the Main Street, (or rather modern Main Street) and lay between that street and the Connecticut River, their average width being 8 rods (located as 546 Main Street, which by a strange coincidence was built upon by Dr. William B ridgman, a descendent of the 5th generation, unconsciously at the time, on the homestead lot of his first American ancestor of that name).

James was constable of Springfield in 1645
 November 3, 1646 "ye oversight of ye fences in ye longer meadows".

In 1648 he built a "cartway over ye meadow against Robert Ashley's, and charging 4 pence a load of any others ye shall cart over ye way who have not joined in making it"
 March 1, 1647, chosen "surveyor of ye fences for ye home lotts"
 Nov. 7, 1648, chosen "surveyor for highways ye year following."
 Took Oath of Fidelity in 1648, (Records of Massachusetts Bay)
 Nov. 4, 1651, chosen "viewer of ye fences for ye lower end of towne."

In 1649 he was find for "taking tobacco into his yard."

He remained in Springfield until 1654, when he removed to Northampton, Mass. He sold his Springfield possessions of land on March 30, 1664 to Samuel Marshfield. In 1654, he, with a few other Springfield men, pushed up the Connecticut River and settled in that part of Nonotuck, now called Northampton. His home lot was on Hawley Street, which was the original Main Street of the settlement. It was 12 rods wide, containing 3 3/4 acres, viz, the land lying just north of what is now Burrows Place on Hawley Street.

On May 28, 1659, he was chosen Constable. The Dorchester Mass. Records show that on May 3, 1659, he paid a visit to his son-in-law, Timothy Tilstons, of that place, who went surety for him, so that in all probability his visit to that region, then the seat of government, was in connection with this appointment.

Northampton town records show that he had at least 3 children born in that place, the first of whom was James, born May 30, 1655, died Jan. 14, 1656, being the second birth, and the first death of a white person in that place. The duties of a "constable" included those performed now by deputy sheriffs, collectors of taxes, coroners, etc. They carried a black staff in the execution of their office.

From 1659 to 1676 he was chosen "Sealer of weights and measures".

It was customary to name children from any noteworthy event occurring at or near the time of their birth, and it is quite likely that his grandchild, Deliverance, was named so to commemorate the deliverance of the family from the Indian raid which occurred on the night of James' death. At the start of King Philips War, the village of Northampton was fortified by palisades, the whole place being thus enclosed. On the 14th of March, 1676, the Indians suddenly assaulted this barrier, and succeeded in breaking through. They were forced back by the inhabitants, not, however, until the Indians had killed 6 persons, and burned several dwellings. The town was not again disturbed, but at the Deerfield Fight, the following May, fifteen residents of Northampton lost their lives. The records do not state that James was killed by the Indians, - but that "he died the same night of the raid".

The name of his wife, Sarah, is found on the member roll of the Church in Northampton. Otherwise, nothing has been found regarding her.

Children:

- I. Sarah, b. 1643, Hartford, Conn., d. 26 June 1712, Dorchester, Mass., m. Timothy Tiltston (paper mill family)
- II. John, b. 7 July, 1645, Springfield, Mass., d. 7 Apr. 1712, Northampton, Mass.
- III. Thomas, b. 14 Jan. 1647-8, d. 27 Feb. 1647-8
- IV. Martha, b. 20 Nov. 1649, Springfield, m. 1668 Samuel Dickenson.
- V. Mary, b. 5 July, 1652, Springfield, d. 1674 Northampton, m. Samuel Bartlett
- VI. James, b. 30 May, 1655, Northampton, d. there 14 Jan. 1656.
- VII. Patience, b. 5 Jan. 1656-7 Northampton, d. Feb. 1656-7.
- VIII. Hezekiah, b. June 1658 in Northampton, d. 30 March 1659.

JOHN BRIDGMAN (son of James and Sarah Bridgman) b. 7 July, 1645, Springfield, Mass. d. 7 Apr. 1712, Northampton, Mass.
Married 11 Dec. 1670

MARY SHELDON (da of Isaac and Mary Woodford Sheldon) b. 1654 Windsor or Hartford County, Conn. d. 20 April, 1728 Northampton, Mass.

John was made Freeman in the Colony of Massachusetts on May 3, 1676. To be a "Freeman" one was to be required to be "of Godly walk and conversation, to be at least 20 years old, and to take the oath of allegiance to the Governor of Massachusetts Bay.

He must be worth £ 200 to hold office when elected, or submit to a fine of 40 s. He must vote at all elections under penalty of some fine."

John inherited his father's property, and continued to live on the homestead on Hawley Street, Northampton, where his fourteen children were born.

Children, all born at Northampton, Mass.

- I. Mary, b. 15 Mar. 1671-2, d. 21 June 1741 Northampton, m. Judah Hutchison
- II. Unnamed infant, b. 23 Dec. 1673, d. 4 Jan. 1674.
- III. John, b. 20 Oct. 1675, d. 24 Sept. 1755, Hatfield, Mass.
- IV. Deliverance, b. 17 Mar. 1676-7 d. 28 Feb. 1737-8 Northampton.
- V. James, b. 1678, d. 25 June 1723, Sunderland
- VI. Isaac, b. 29 Mar. 1680, d. 22 June 1756, South Coventry, Conn.
- VII. Sarah, b. 1682, d. 21 May 1736, Northampton, m. John Chapin, b. 1674 in Springfield, Mass.
- VIII. Ruth, b. 29 Aug. 1684, d. 16 Sept. 1690, Northampton
- IX. Ebenezer, b. 4 Feb. 1686, d. 16 Apr. 1769, Belchertown, Mass.
- X. Thomas, b. 7 Jan. 1688, d. 30 Oct. 1741, Northampton.
- XI. Martha, b. 13 Aug. 1690, d. 2 Jan. 1759, Northampton, m. Hezekiah Root
- XII. Hannah, b. 24 Oct. 1693, d. 30 Mar. 1730, m. John Bancroft of Westfield, Mass.
- XIII. Dorothy, b. 4 Oct. 1697, d. 20 Jan. 1705, Northampton
- XIV. Orlando, b. 18 Sept. 1701, d. 4 June 1771, Vernon, Vermont

JAMES BRIDGMAN (son of John and Mary (Sheldon) Bridgman) b. 1678 Northampton, d. 25 June 1728 Sunderland, Mass.

Married, 13 July 1704

ELIZABETH ALLIS (da of Capt. John and Mary (Meekins) Allis) b. 4 April, 1679

The first record found of James Bridgman was in 1704, when he "participated in the Meadow Fight, so called, near Deerfield." In 1712, he received £ 20, at the death of his father. At that time, he had been living in Hatfield, Mass., for several years, probably going there about the time of his marriage, or soon after. His first child, born in 1706, was born in Hatfield. In 1709, it is recorded that he bought land in Hatfield of Sam Weller of Hartford, for £ 40. There is another record that he sold land in Hatfield in 1717. James was one of the earlier settlers in Sunderland, Mass., having bought Samuel Hawley's original claim, home lot #19, east side (owned by Israel Childs in 1891). The first record of James in Sunderland is found April 15, 1718.

His first seven children were born in Hatfield, and the remaining three in Sunderland, Mass. His first born, Jonathan was taken captive to Canada, and died there in 1747.

At settlement of his estate, his property was valued at £ 646.

Children, first seven born in Hatfield, others Sunderland
Massachusetts.

- I. Jonathan, b. 1 Feb. 1706, d. 21 July, 1747, Canada
- II. Mary, b. 21 Oct. 1707, m. Jonathan Weller
- III. John, b. 22 July, 1709, d. 30 July 1768, Sunderland.
- IV. Ruth, b. 25 Feb. 1711, d. 7 Sept. 1734.
- V. Abigail, b. 19 Sept. 1712, m. Joseph Root, 11 Nov. 1736
- VI. Elizabeth, b. 1714, m. Nathaniel Hermon on 6 Dec. 1736
- VII. Lydia, b. 14 Sept. 1716, m. _____ Weller, and had a
son, David
- VIII. Sarah, b. 3 Sept. 1718, died young
- IX. Samuel, b. 26 Dec. 1720, Sunderland, m. Elizabeth
Danks in 1747
- X. Sarah, b. 23 Oct. 1722 in Sunderland.

MARY BRIDGMAN, (da of James and Elizabeth (Allis) Bridgman)
b. 21 Oct. 1707, Hatfield, Mass. d. 30 Jan. 1789
Married, 9 Oct. 1731
JONATHAN WELLER (son of Eleazor and Mary (P helps) W eller,
b. 3 Sept. 1705, d. 1 Aug. 1744.

See WELLER Line.

Lt. WILLIAM ALLIS, b. probably in Essex or London, England
 1613-1616, d. 6 Sept. 1678, Hatfield, Mass.
 Married, 25 June _____, Braintree, Mass.

MARY

William Allis came to this country with the Winthrop Fleet in 1630. The fleet consisted of eleven vessels, the Arabella, Talbot, Ambrose, Jewel, Charles, Mayflower (3rd voyage) William and Francis, Hopewell, Whale, Success and Trial. In the Winthrop Colonists, consisting of 700 immigrants, there were three distinct communities represented:

1. Dorset and Devon, (known as Dorchestermen who first settled in Boston a number of years before it received that name.)
2. Lincolnshire (who were properly called Boston Men and had determined on the name of Boston for the new settlement before they left England.)
3. London and Essex immigrants.

William Allis came with the last named company, and was, no doubt, one of the 39 men on the Mayflower (3rd voyage). They first touched Salem, but landed at Charlton Harbor, Boston (then called Trimountain) on July 1, 1630.

The first trace of William Allis after landing was in Mt. Wollaston (afterward known as Braintree) in 1632. That town, comprised of 50 sq. miles, was surveyed and laid out by him before 1634, and during that year, by the order of the General Court, it was annexed to Boston. Large tracts of land were granted to certain inhabitants to settle in Mount Wollaston, and Wm. Allis received 12 acres on February 24, 1640. On May 13, 1640, the inhabitants of Mount Wollaston were incorporated as the town of Braintree, and with Dorchester, Dunham, Hingham, Natasket and Roxbury, were incorporated to form the city of Boston.

On that same date, May 13, 1640, William Allis was made a Freeman (only those who were members of the church were allowed to take the Freeman's Oath, which gave them the right to vote and hold office.)

William was a well educated, capable man, and was well fitted to take his place among the Puritan Settlers. He was not only an experienced surveyor, but also a successful farmer. He was a prominent citizen of Braintree, being one of its Selectmen. He had the supervision of building a road from Boston to Providence, R.I. He lived in Braintree until 1658, and then emigrated to Wethersfield, Conn., in the fertile Connecticut River Valley. At that time the Massachusetts Bay Settlement was becoming somewhat crowded, and as a result, the colonists left there from time to time for Connecticut, settling the towns of Windsor, Wethersfield and Hartford, in the order named. Most of the settlers made the trip afoot through the wilderness, and brought with them only such things as they needed most, leaving the remainder of their possessions to be brought around from Boston and up the Connecticut River by boat. (Stiles' "History of Ancient Wethersfield 1624). All went well until

until there arose a difference of opinion among the settlers of these three towns in regard to church government and ordinances. A crisis was reached in 1660 and a meeting was called at which a committee was appointed to go up the Connecticut River and view the lands east and north of Northampton, Mass., which had been purchased from the River Indians through Major John Pynchon of Springfield, Mass. A favorable report was made by the committee, and about 60 men, 20 of whom lived in Wethersfield, agreed to move with their families to that very attractive place. The land was shared between them, and a lot assigned to each. This settlement was called Hadley, - settled by the English from Wethersfield, Hartford, and Windsor, - William Allis being one of the number. (Judd's "History of Hadley", 11:23)

It is claimed that William Allis and Thomas Meekins, with several others, made the journey by way of a cart, through Westfield in 1661, in which year the first of the English settled Hadley. The journey was a difficult one on account of the wilderness, the many streams to be bridged or forded, and the impassible swamps, - with their heavily loaded carts, women and children, personal effects, and live stock of various kind. It took them ten days to make the trip of about fifty miles. The Hadley lands were on both sides of the Connecticut River and had been partly cleared by the Indians. The "House Lots" of 8 acres were laid out on each side of the Main Street, which was 10 rods wide, and extended a mile north and south. Hadley was laid out somewhat after the fashion of English towns and was named after Hadleigh, Suffolk County, England. Our ancestor's lot was on the west side of the Main Street, in the center of the settlement. The present meeting house (1919) town hall and Congregational Parsonage are all on the lot which was assigned to William Allis. The Main Street was surrounded by a continuous line of palisades during King Philip's War, enclosing the houses of the original proprietors, and those who settled later were outside. On May 31st, 1670 that part of Hadley became the town of Hatfield, and in 1771 the northern part of Hatfield was incorporated as the town of Whately.

William Allis was a leading citizen of Hatfield, and a trusted lieutenant of John Pynchon of Springfield. He held the offices of Deacon, Justice of Peace, and Selectman, and was often on advisory committees with prominent men of that section. In 1672, he was one of those commissioned to lay out Squakeage (now Northfield). He was a member of the Committee which was appointed by the town of Hatfield, on March 7, 1673, authorized to say who should be the inhabitants of Deerfield by right of purchase and otherwise; to regulate the herding of cattle; to advise about the institution of a church, and to secure a good orthodox minister. On May 7, 1673, the Great and General Court appointed him one of a committee of six to act in all respects to lay out the farms and to admit inhabitants to Deerfield. In 1674, he was one of those commissioned to lay out Swampfield (Sunderland).

During these years, as the Indians had been fairly dealt with by the settlers, peace existed between them, - until war was incited by King Philip. On Oct. 19, 1675 the Indians, numbering about 800, attacked Hatfield with the intention of destroying the town.

and slaying the inhabitants, as they had done at the neighboring towns of Northfield and Deerfield. They were expected by the settlers and were beaten off, with but small loss to Hatfield. The Indians assumed a defiant attitude, stealing cattle and horses on the outlying farms. As a result, the settlers decided to take the offensive, and the battle of "Great Falls" (now Turner Falls) resulted. The men from the different towns, to the number of 150, started from their homes on May 18, 1676, and assaulted the Indians at the Falls early in the morning of the 19th when they were asleep, killing about 175 of them with practically no loss to themselves, but when they began their homeward march, this success was turned into a defeat. The Indians attacked them in the rear, and a panic was created among the English by they report that a thousand Indian Warriors, under King Philip were at hand. The English were scattered, and although the retreat was conducted with bravery and skill, 38 of the settlers were killed, and some became lost and wandered around the woods for two or three days before reaching home. William Allis was a Captain in the fight at Great Falls, and had with him in the engagement, three sons, one of whom, William Allis, Jr., was killed. For a while after the Falls Fight, there was an occasional plundering expedition by the Indians, but they became scattered by famine and disease and by the English troops, - and with the death of King Philip on Aug. 12, 1676 the war was ended. Nothing more was seen of the Indians until Sept. 19, 1677 when 50 of them from Canada, led by Chief Ashplton, and encouraged by the French, attacked Hatfield without warning. They entered the town when most of the men were harvesting their corn in distant fields. The Indians set fire to many buildings, killed 12 and captured 17 of the English and immediately started for Canada with their captives. Mary Allis, William's wife, was one of those killed in the massacre. Abigail Allis, his granddaughter, was one of those taken captive. The prisoners, upon their arrival in Canada, were turned over to the French, and those who survived, did not again see their homes until eight months afterward.

William Allis was evidently a prosperous man in his day, and at the close of his life, he had accumulated quite an estate. Inventory of his property was taken September 18, 1678, showing property not only in Hatfield, but in South Meadow, Great and Little Meadow, in Plain and Swamp, and land in Quirepiske.

Children, all born in Braintree, Mass.

- I. John, b. 5 March 1642
- II. Samuel, b. 24 Feb. 1647
- III. Josiah, b. 1649, d. 25 Oct. 1651
- IV. Josiah, b. 30 Oct. 1651.
- V. William, b. 10 Jan. 1653, d. July, 1653
- VI. Hannah, b. 1654, d. 1713, m. Wm. Scott of Hatfield Jan. 28 1670
- VII. William, b. 11 Oct. 1655, killed by Indians in battle of Great Falls, 19 May 1676
- VIII. Mary, b. 1657, d. unm. Feb. 1690.

Capt. JOHN ALLIS (son of William and Mary Allis) b. 5 March 1642, Braintree, Mass., d. January, 1691, Hatfield, Mass.

Married, 14 Dec. 1669

MARY MEEKINS (da. of Thomas Meekins) b. _____ d. 1704. She married (1) Nathaniel Clark and had two children. She m. (2) John Allis. She married (3) about 1692, Samuel Belden.

John Allis resided in Hatfield, near his father, owning a lot on the same side of the street, and was one of the prominent citizens of that town. He was a millwright and carpenter of note. He built many churches, and was erecting the first corn mill at Mill River, when he died. He was the first town clerk of Hatfield, and was one of a committee of six appointed to survey and lay out highways between Hadley and Windsor, Conn. He served in King Philips War and was in the fight at Great Falls on May 19, 1676. Afterwards he was made a Captain in the Militia.

At the time of the Hatfield massacre on September 19, 1677, his mother was killed, his six year old daughter, Abigail, was carried away to Canada by the Indians, being one of 17 prisoners taken, and his barn burned. On the same day, the Indians went north to Deerfield where they killed one and captured four men and then went across the country to Lake Champlain and on to Canada. During the march to Canada, one of the men was burned at the stake and two other captives were killed, and all endured much suffering.

The prisoners were held in Canada by the French until ransomed eight months later, through the efforts of two of the Hatfield settlers, Benjamin Waite and Stephen Jennings, whose families were among the captives. They were young men, experienced in woodcraft and familiar with Indian customs. They determined to ascertain the fate of their relatives and friends and redeem them if found alive. On October 24, 1676, with a commission from the Massachusetts Government, they left Hatfield for Albany by way of Westfield, that being the only travelled road to Canada. They reached Albany, but the authorities were unfriendly, and sent them to New York on a false pretense. After a time they were sent back to Albany with a pass, but it was December 10th before they were able to resume the journey to Canada. They first hired a Frenchman as a guide, but he soon deserted them. They then hired a Mohawk Indian who remained with them. In the face of many trials and discouragements, and at times without food, they finally reached the captives at Sorell, Canada. They then found they were unable to secure all of the captives without the help of the French Authorities. They therefore had to go to Quebec. There they were successful in their mission, and were also assigned a guard of 11 soldiers to Albany. They left Quebec on April 19th, and Sorel on May 2nd, having redeemed all of the captives. The ransom was £ 200, which was made up of the contributions from the English. The party reached Albany on May 22, and eventually arrived in Hatfield safely. John Allis and his wife must have rejoiced on having Abigail back with them.

Children, all born in Hatfield, Mass.

- I. Joseph, b. 11 Nov. 1670
- II. Abigail, b. 25 Feb. 1672, m. Ephraim Wells
- III. Hannah, b. 9 Oct. 1673, m. John Broughton of Deerfield
on 19 Nov. 1691.
- IV. Ichabod, b. 10 July, 1675
- V. Eleazer, b. 23 July, 1677
- VI. Elizabeth, b. 4 April, 1679, m. James Bridgman
- VII. Lydia, b. 15 Aug. 1680, d. 31 Aug. 1691
- VIII. John, b. 10 May 1682
- IX. Rebecca, b. 16 Apr. 1683, m. Nathaniel Graves
- X. William, b. 16 May 1684
- XI. Nathaniel, b. 1685
- XII. Mary, b. 25 Aug. 1687, d. 20 Apr. 1688.

ELIZABETH ALLIS, (da pf Capt. John and Mary (Meekins) Allis,
b. 4 April, 1679

Married, 13 July, 1704

JAMES BRIDGMAN (son of John and Mary (Sheldon) Bridgman, b. 1678
Northampton, d. 25 June, 1728 Sunderland, Mass.

See BRIDGMAN Line

BENJAMIN WILMOT, b abt.1590, England, d. 18 Aug.1669, NewHaven
Conn.

Married, in England

ANN _____ b. _____ d. 7 Oct. 1668, New Haven, Conn.

History does not record the motive which prompted the pioneers, to leave their home in England and come, with their three children to the New Haven Colony. We know that they were in America in June, 1639, as Benjamin Wilmot, was listed as one of the "Planters of New Haven". His name is given in a autograph signature. He took the "Oath of Fidelity" in May 1648 in New Haven. He became the "Head" of the numerous families bearing his name, and his descendants, as late as 1800, identified themselves as being of the "Benjamin Wilmots of Connecticut". On May 2, 1647, in the records of the City of New Haven, appears this entry, - "Benjamin Wilmott, and his son, drew lot 25, or a part of it, in 1641".

Children, born in England

- I. Ann, b. _____ d. before May, 1654, m. William Bunnell
- II. Benjamin, b. _____ d. 8 Apr. 1651, New Haven, Conn.
- III. William, b. 1632, d. 1689, New Haven, Conn.

WILLIAM WILMOT (son of Benjamin and Ann Wilmot) b. prob.1632
England, d. 1689, New Haven, Conn.

Married, 14 Oct. 1658, New Haven, by Mr. Francis Newman
Governor, (N.H.Vital Records).

SARAH THOMAS (da of John and Tabitha Thomas) b. 1639, d. 28
Dec. 1711, New Haven Conn.

William Wilmot took the "Oath of Fidelity" on the 22nd of May 1654, New Haven. An ancient stone in the New Haven Cemetery bears his name and that he "died 1689 Aged 57". In the town records, on April 26, 1689, "Widow Wilmott was forborn, for the present, in paying ministers rate of 4 s.4½ d." and in 1704, "Widow Wilmott has but two persons credited to her family in New Haven".

Children, all born in New Haven, Conn.

- I. Benjamin, b. 7 Mar.1661, d. 1 Aug. 1728, New Haven,Conn
- II. Sarah,b. 8 Mar.1662, m. Nov. 1679, Thomas Hodgkins
- III. Sgt.William, b. 17 Oct. 1665, m. 20 Oct.1692,Mary Chidey
- IV. John,b. 20 Jan.1667, m.Sara Clark (She m (2) D.Sperry)
- V. Anna, b. 26 Feb. 1670
- VI. Alex, b. 13 Dec. 1672
- VII. Tabitha, b. 12 Nov. 1675
- VIII. Mary, b. 7 Jan.1677, m.24 Aug 1693 Joseph Dorman
- IX. Thomas, b.21 Sept.1679, d.1752,m.1705,Mary Lines,
- X. Elizabeth,b. 24 Mar.1682, m. 19 May 1709, R. Sperry.

BENJAMIN WILMOT (son of William and Sarah (Thomas) Wilmot)
b. 7 Mar. 1661, New Haven, Conn. d. 25 Jan. 1728,
New Haven, Conn.

Married, 13 Feb. 1700, New Haven, by John Alling, Justice
(N.H. Vital Records)

MARY BEECHER (da of John and Elizabeth (Roberts) Beecher)
b. 23 Feb. 1672 or 1673, New Haven, bapt. 17 Jan.
1685, New Haven, Conn.

We have found nothing regarding Benjamin or Mary, excepting
the statistics above.

Children, all born in New Haven, Conn.

I. Hannah, b. 9 Dec. 1701, d. 19 Feb. 1767, m. 30 May, 1723,
New Haven, James Thompson, who was born 5 June
1699, d. 1737.

II. Benjamin, b. 1 Dec. 1703, d. 25 June, 1768, Waterbury,
Conn.

III. Ebenezer, b. 10 Mar. 1707. (Thought to be living at the
time of the 1790 census)

B BENJAMIN WILMOT (son of Benjamin and Mary (Beecher) Wilmot)
b. 1 Dec. 1703, New Haven, d. 25 Jan. 1768,
Waterbury, Conn.

Married, 19 Dec. 1733, New Haven, by Sam Bishop, Justice
ABIGAIL SKIDMORE "of Stratford" (thought to be da. of John and
Mary (Norton) Skidmore) bapt. 3 Oct. 1736, New
Haven, d. 30 Dec. 1771, Waterbury, Conn.

All we know about Benjamin and Abigail is from the Vital Sta-
tistics, - that Abigail was baptized three years after they
were married; that they lived in New Haven until sometime
between 1745 and 1751, when they moved to Waterbury, Conn.

Children: First 5 in New Haven, 6th in Waterbury, Conn.

I. Hannah, b. 12 Jan. 1734-5, m. 15 Nov. 1755, at Bethlehem
Church, Waterbury, Conn., David Crissy

II. Mary, b. 11 Dec. 1736, New Haven, Conn.

III. Benjamin, b. 27 Dec. 1738, d. 28 Dec. 1770 Waterbury.

IV. Abijah, b. 30 Apr. 1742, m. 5 Aug. 1763, Waterbury, Ruth
Hickox, b. 18 Dec. 1743, d. 26 Feb. 1771; m (2)
9 July, 1771, Tapher Castle.

V. Reuben, b. 24 July, 1745, bapt. 4 June 1749, New Haven
(C2). m (1) Rachel Rummell; m (2) Lucy Tracy,
m. (3) Sarah Saxton

VI. Abigail, b. 22 Mar. 1751, bapt. July 1751, Bethlehem Church
Waterbury, d. 25 May 1793, Middlebury, Conn.,
m. 10 Dec. 1772, Waterbury, Thadeus Brenson.

REUBEN WILMOT (son of Benjamin and Abigail (Skidmore) Wilmot)
 b. 24 July, 1745, New Haven, bapt. 4 June, 1749
 New Haven (C2)

Married (1) 19 Feb. 1766, Waterbury, Conn., Rachel Rumrill,
 who d. 10 Jan. 1767, Woodbury, Conn.

Married (2) 11 June, 1767, Woodbury

LUCY TRACY, (da. of Jonathan and Lucy (Avery) Tracy) Bapt. 17
 Dec. 1749. First Church, Preston, Conn., d. 22 Sept.
 1776, Woodbury, Conn.

Married (3) date unknown, Sarah Saxton, (da of Ebenezer
 and Eunice (Benham) Saxton) b. 13 May 1754, Waterbury.

We know that Reuben was living in Woodbury from 1767 to, at least 1776, when he registered the death of his wife Lucy (Tracy) Wilmot. He is listed as a Revolutionary War Soldier from Woodbury. No further record has been found of him. Did he join the army after Lucy died, leaving the three boys in someones care, or had he married Sarah Saxton before going? The three children, in 1777, received the share of their grandfather (Jonathan Tracy) estate, that would have gone to Lucy, had she been alive (Norwich Wills 4.131)

We know that Reuben married Sarah Saxton, but no record can be found of the date of marriage; the place and dates of the birth of their five children (Lucy, Sally, Tracy, Lottie and Osee). In 1906, when a genealogist was gathering data for the "Wilmot" book, Osee Wilmot (the son of the first Osee) was located, and below is the account of the interview

"Osee Wilmot, of Watertown, N.Y. called at my office on April 18, 1906 in response to a letter addressed to his brother in Baltimore, Md. He said he is of the Connecticut Branch of the family, although born in Vermont. His father, Osee, was born in Connecticut in 1796 or 1797, and died in 1861. He advised that his grandfather was Reuben Wilmot, born July 24, 1745, who was the son of the 4th Benjamin Wilmot. His father, Osee, born 1796, died 1861, and married Lydia Morse, and had the following issue, all of whom were born in Vermont, but descended from the Connecticut Branch (George, Reuben, Asher, Osee, Russell, Egbert, Mary, Louisa, Lydia)."

From this, it would appear, that Reuben and Sarah were living somewhere in Connecticut in 1796 when Osee was born, but no record has been found. His name does not appear in the 1790 census of Connecticut.

Children, born Woodbury, Conn. (Lucy Tracy, wife)

1. Benjamin Tracy, b. 20 April 1771, d. 12 May 1826,
11. Asher, b. 10 July, 1774, d. Champion, N.Y. m. Rebecca Russell
111. Reuben, b. 10 July, 1774 (twin) died young.

Major BENJAMIN TRACY WILMOT (son of Reuben and Lucy (Tracy) Wilnot) b. 20 Apr. 1771, Woodbury, Conn., d. 12 May 1826, Paris, New York. (He was known as Tracy Wilnot)

Married, 9 Jan. 1794 (Bible Record)

Rhoda Saxton (da. of Jehiel and Rhoda (Ackley Saxton).), b. 11 Jan. 1778, Watertown, Conn. d. 29 May 1867, Paris, N.Y.

From old Deed Books, in Utica, N.Y., we find that Benjamin Tracy Wilnot first bought land in Paris Township in 1799, from Miriam Judd, - 9 acres for \$5.00. Then in 1806, he bought 38 more acres adjoining for \$1.00 from Joseph Cutter.

He played a conspicuous part in the War of 1812, being a Major a greater part of the time.

His will was written on the 14th of August, 1820, witnessed by Theophilus Steele, Sally Wicks, and Parnel Hall (Parnel Hall was the son of Theophilus Hall, Jr., first cousin of Rev. John Hall, Jr., of Oneida County, the father of Avon S. Hall, husband of Carrie Isa Wilnot). The will was proved 27 May 1826, recorded on Page 107. He left sums of money to his children and to his wife. He left one room of his house to his wife, - any room which she wished, and any household furniture she wished. This, in 1960, would be a strange thing to find in a will, but in those days it was quite common. The purpose, of course, was to insure care of the widow by whomever was willed the rest of the house. In this case we believe that the house and property had been given to Asher, the oldest boy, - before Benjamin's death, - as the girls were given money, and Charles "all my real property of which I am now possessed". (You will note that Rhoda lived 41 years after her husband's death.)

Children

- I. Asher, b. 6 July 1797, d. 15 Oct. 1864, New Hartford, N.Y.
m (1) Harriet Strong, m (2) Sarah Chase.
Asher and Harriet had 2 children, Malvina,
b. 18 Dec. 1827, who married Alonzo Allen, - and
Saviah, b. 22 Mar. 1829, who married Norman Best.
Savina dn Norman Best had a son, Will Best,
who married Bertha. Savina and Norman Best
lived with their son, and were known as "Muddy"
and "Paddy". Will and Bertha had one daughter,
Mable who married William Kies.
- II. Tracy, b. 6 July, 1797, a twin who died young.
- III. Minerva, b. 12 June 1795, d. 1819, m. Erastus Root.
She died at birth of twin sons, Edwin Charles
and Tracy Wilnot Root.
- IV. Rhoda, b. 7 Aug. 1801, d. 1 Jan. 1825. Rhoda and her brother
Asher had a double wedding 3 Dec. 1819. She
married Erastus Root, widower
- V. Juliaett, b. 2 Mar. 1811, d. Ithaca, Mich. 20 July, 1887,
m. Russell Lake, and had 2 sons and 3 daughters
- VI. Charles Tracy, b. 13 June 1816, Paris Hills, New York.

CHARLES TRACY WILMOT (son of Benjamin Tracy and Rhoda (Saxton) Wilmot) b. 13 June 1816, Paris, Oneida Co. N.Y.
 d. 10 July, 1881 in Ohio, buried Ann Arbor, Mich.
 Married (1) 21 Mar. 1837, Pittsfield, Washtenaw Co. Mich.,
 Harriet Anderson, b. 18 Jan. 1820 Middleton,
 Orange Co. N.Y. (da of Sheriff Anderson). She
 d 8 Mar. 1850, Ann Arbor, Michigan.
 Married (2) 10 Sept. 1850, Ann Arbor, Mich. by Eli Graves
 CATHERINE (NORTH) WATKINS (da of Benjamin and Hannah (Mosher)
 North) b. 19 May 1817, Oliv, Ulster Co. New York,
 d. 4 Oct. 1882, Ann Arbor, Michigan

Charles Tracy Wilmot was born on a June snow storm, - the year 1816, where there was no summer. The following is from an old newspaper clipping.

"In 1816 January and February were warm and springlike. March was cold and stormy. Vegetation had gotten along well in April, when real winter set in. Snow and sleet fell on 17 different days in May. In June there was either frost or snow every night, but three. The snow that month was five inches deep for several days in succession in the interior of New York and from ten inches to three feet in Vermont and Maine. July was cold and frosty ice forming as thick as window panes. August was still worse. Ice formed nearly an inch thick and killed nearly every green thing in the United States. In the spring of 1817, corn, which had been kept over from the crop of 1815 sold for from \$5.00 to \$10.00 a bushel, the buyers purchasing it for seed."

Charles Tracy Wilmot had a good schooling for a boy of that time and place. In 1830-31 he attended Cazenovia Seminary, Madison Co. New York. In 1835, when he was but 19 years of age, his mother gave him \$2000.00 when he wanted to go west, - the money to be used to buy land. He travelled West by boat and stage coach, and settled in what is now Ann Arbor, Michigan. He paid \$8.00 an acre for the "farm" that is now a part of the University of Michigan. Although we never saw our grandfather, we remember much that our mother told us about him and her home life. It was a very happy and gay remembrance to her. The home, a two story brick house, with a porch across the front, and white pillars going up to the mansard roof line, was in the center of the block. (One side of the block is called "Wilmot Avenue".) It had a fruit orchard and a large vegetable garden in the rear. Their home was a center of social life, with parties and dinners with friends and relations. There were always relations "visiting" for months. There was no dancing, or card parties, as these were forbidden by the Methodist Church. He sold a corner of the block to Judge Harriman, who built his home there, a large brick mansion. Other lots in the block were sold later. One, with a house, was given to his daughter by his first wife, and another to a maid who had served them for a number of years. He was one of the founders of the First Methodist Church, a large brick church facing the campus, and serving the University. He held many positions in the church. He was most generous, and could send large sums of money easily, but going to great lengths to save on the small items. He was active in the real estate business, and in the loaning of money, in the promotion of new companies, and in the cutting and selling of lumber.

He gave his daughter Alta, a musical education in Boston, and when she suddenly became deaf, he sent her to Paris, France, to study art, her second choice. He sent our mother thru the University of Michigan.

When my mother was about eighteen years old, it was discovered that her father had diabetes. This was before the discovery of insulin. At that time, it was thought that certain spring waters would be a cure, and that a special dark bread was also helpful. My mother was taught how to make the bread. In the summers, she and her father would go to the spas, living in boarding houses or hotels given over to diabetics. Our mother would often make the bread for her father, and others, and would often teach the cooks. She would take piano or violin lessons, while her father was taking the treatments. He, in talking to the other diabetics, would hear of another spa, claiming great results, and so hopefully they would go there, - Wisconsin, Indiana, New York, - he died at one of the spas in Ohio.

Children - all born in Ann Arbor, Michigan, the first by Harriet Anderson, - the others by Catherine North

- I. Juliaett Josephine, b. 2 Oct. 1844, m. abt. 1867
Abraham Baker Lines.
- II. Alta Eliza, b. 22 Sept. 1852, d. 1930, Florida, buried
Mt. Hope Cemetery, Chicago,
- III. Charles Clifford, b. 31 Aug. 1854, m. 2 Oct. 1875
Grace Russell, d. abt. 1915, Oak Park, Ill.
- IV. Carrie Isa, b. 2 Nov. 1858, d. 12 Nov. 1947, m. 17
Aug. 1885, Avon Stacy Hall, buried Mt. Hope
Cemetery, Chicago, Ill.

CARRIE ISA WILMOT (da of Charles Tracy and Catherine (North)
Wilmot) b. 2 Nov. 1858, Ann Arbor, Michigan,
d. 12 Nov. 1947, Chicago, Ill. Buried Mt. Hope
Cemetery, Chicago.

Married 17 Aug. 1885, Oswego, New York, by Rev. John
Hubbard Hall, Jr., and Rev. Charles E. Havens,
(the father, and brother-in-law of Avon S. Hall)

AVON STACY HALL (son of Rev. John Hubbard, Jr., and Julia
(Gillespie) Hall), b. 15 June 1860, Verona,
New York, d. 25 Jan. 1928, Chicago, Buried
Mt. Hope Cemetery, Chicago.

Carrie Wilmot grew up in a university town, Ann Arbor, Michigan, where there were a great many young people and activity.

That is perhaps why her remembrances of her young life were such happy ones. There were plenty of dates, horse back riding, sleigh rides, skating and trips back east. It had been her desire to become a missionary to China, and in her second year at college she took the examination and failed the physical (although she lived to be 89 years of age). She then decided to become a teacher. She was graduated from the University of Music and University of Michigan in 1883. She became engaged to Avon Hall in her fourth year at college. Her father and mother died just before she was graduated, and so all of the

Ann Arbor properties were sold, and the estate distributed. She took a position at Drew Seminary, New York, as Preceptress, and teacher of English and Music, and her sister Alta went to New York to eventually open a studio and become a miniature painter. Her brother had married and was living in Grand Rapids, Michigan. She held this position for two years, until the summer Avon was graduated, when they were married. Will and Bertha Best, her cousins, were living in Oswego, New York and they offered their home for the wedding. An account of the wedding, from a letter written by her sister Alta, to their half-sister, Julia, reads as follows:

Well Carrie is married, fast and sure. Took two ministers to do it. I will tell you all the program. First, of course, there was sewing. It was sew, sew, sew, and as we found it very difficult to get help, it was late before we finished. Monday morning, before everything came in, Carrie had two or three quiet days, and so felt at her best. Monday, early, we went for the flowers and decorated the hall. Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Miss Emma Hall, and Mr. Havens, the husband of Avon's sister, Nellie, and a little boy two years old, came about noon, and Mrs. Winslow came about two. The ceremony was at half after two, and it went off very nicely. First we closed up the blinds, and lighted the gas. He had prepared a surprise for them. Mable Best, and Mable Fitch, who are as near alike as two children could be, dressed one in pink and white lace, pink stockings and shoes, and the other in blue, each having a basket of pink and white flowers, came down ahead of Avon and Carrie, parted the curtains and each held one aside. Avon and Carrie walked in and took their places in front of the large mirror, and the two little bridesmaids passed over and stood behind Carrie. Mr. Hall, Avon's father, married them, assisted by Mr. Havens. Carrie wore white, and she carried a large bunch of white roses and jassmine. Avon gave her a very pretty ring, turquoise and pearls. Avon looked nicely in a black suit. They were both very calm. There was so much delay about the lunch, the waiters coming late, that Carrie went up and dressed for travelling, before supper was served. Contrary to expectations, she ate quite a little. Seventeen took supper, - first cold tongue, ham sandwiches (minced ham), biscuits, chicken salade, coffee, lemonade, then cake and ice cream, then fruit, - and heaps of style served by the two colored waiters sent up by Will from the Doolittle House, where he is temporarily proprietor. It got late so quickly that we had to leave the supper and see them off, and then come back and finish. They took a lunch with them to eat on the train. The day was lovely, and all seemed to pass off nicely. Her satin bodice that I embroidered for her was exquisite. It had a bunch of wild roses on one side and a large fancy bowl on the other. Her white bonnet we retrimmed with silk mull and wings with silver gilt, and large ties with tucked ends. Her travelling dress was dark green, trimmed with rows and rows of black braid, her hat ecru trimmed with dark green, ecru gloves and ecru leather bag."

While they were waiting for the train, at Oswego, an elderly man, with a screaming boy approached them and asked them if they would take care of the boy on the train. He had just become an orphan, and was to go to Michigan to an aunt's house, - otherwise the boy would have to make the trip alone. The bride and groom, Carrie and Avon, consented, and started their honeymoon with a screaming dirty and forlorn frightened boy of eight. It was quite some way along on the trip before they could comfort and quiet the child. They fed him most of the lunch packed so carefully at Oswego. Carrie and Avon set up housekeeping in Cadillac, Michigan, and had a very happy time there. When their first child was to be born, Avon cut out the diapers for the layette, using a T-Square. Of course, later, when the wash was on the line, the shape of the diapers caused much comment and teasing.

When Avon was offered the position at Calumet High School, Morgan Park, (now Chicago, Ill.) he definitely gave up the idea of becoming a minister, and decided to make his vocation educational work. About this time, Avon's mother died, and the home sold in Casehovia, New York. The money he received from the estate was used to purchase the home at 7700 Union Avenue, Auburn Park, Chicago, within walking distance of Calumet High School.

Up until about 1910, the family spent Sundays in the rigid Methodist custom. First thing in the morning an hour family service of prayer and bible reading, - then Sunday School and Church, a walk of eight blocks, rain, snow, or shine, - then home for dinner. We were required to stay in the house or yard all afternoon. However, on the most part, this time was spent happily, making candy, taking pictures, developing them, basket weaving, burnt wood work, singing together with mother at the piano, or listening while mother or dad read from Dickens or other good books. The day would end with back the eight blocks to church for Epworth League and Sunday Night Service. On Wednesday nights, our mother and father went to church for Prayer Meeting. They were active in the church, he holding many positions, and she in the Foreign Missionary Society. She held three Life Memberships in the Society, each presented to her. They belonged to the "Thirty Club" a social club in Auburn Park, for about twenty years. In the summers, the entire family spent July and August at Epworth Heights, Ludington, Michigan, a Methodist summer resort, where we had a cottage on Lake Michigan, called "Sunshine Cottage".

It had always been their dream that their sons would go to the University of Michigan, but when the time came, there was not enough money to send them. So, it was decided that mother was to establish residence in Ann Arbor, Michigan. The four children and mother therefore moved to Ann Arbor, our father staying on in Chicago.

But to go back to their early life again, the house at 7700 Union Avenue was quite often the headquarters for relations to come and "visit". Avon's mother came to live with them for a few years. Our cousin Elloine came to live with us for two years while she attended school. Our Aunt Alta came often, and our Aunt Nellie and her husband came during the Columbian Exposition. Our mother told us about the time that our father was so shocked because she and Rev. Havens rode on a camel at the Fair. She entered her baby Agnes in the nursery at the Fair. Toward the end of her life, she would often say that her childhood and young married life were the happiest anyone could have had.

After her husband's death she lived with her daughter Catherine and her "beloved son-in-law, Jim". She spent her long life busily, and was a Christian example in every way. She read the bible completely through four times, and memorized many sections. She gave freely of her talents, constantly working in the missionary societies, playing the piano for singing, or leading in prayer. She often said "When St. Peter asks me what I had done with my life, I would answer, 'I have played the piano for hymn singing, and waited for hours for my family to come to dinner.'" She was small in stature, but we children knew her commands were not to be questioned. Unable to walk, because of a broken hip, she spent the last five years in a wheel chair, still busy, knitting and sewing. This was her first absence from the Methodist Church in 34 years but even in the last five years, and her entire life, she carefully kept a record of all income, so that she could make her tithe regularly. She had a special way of saying "Liquor" which is hard to imitate, - you just can't get enough disgust into the pronunciation. She might have been a second Carrie Nation, or she might well have gone to China and carried out her missionary bent. Of course, we would not be here, nor would this story be written, - all of which we leave to your judgment, is for the better, or worse.

See "HALL LINE"

JOHN THOMAS, born in England, 1609, d. 15 Dec. 1671, New Haven
Connecticut

Married

TABITHA _____ b ? d. 1 April 1690, New Haven, Conn.

John Thomas came to New England in the "Hopewell".
He settled first in Marshfield, Mass., but moved on to
New Haven Connecticut shortly thereafter, and died there.
At this writing, we do not know whether he was married in
England, or whether his daughter, Sarah, was born in England,
or America.

Children

1. Sarah, b. 1639, d. 28 Dec. 1711, New Haven, Conn.

SARAH THOMAS (daughter of John and Tabitha Thomas) born 1639,
d/ 28 Dec. 1711, New Haven, Conn.

Married, 14 Oct. 1658, New Haven, Conn.

WILLIAM WILMOT (son of Benjamin and Ann Wilmot), born probably
1632 in England, d. 1689 New Haven, Conn.

See Wilmot Line

JOHN BEECHER (son of ?) born County Kent, England, d. 1637
New Haven, Conn.

Married before 1623, in England

Widow HANNAH _____ POTTER, (da of ?) born, England, d. 1659
New Haven, Conn.

John Beecher, his wife and son Isaac, came to America and settled in New Haven, Connecticut. He was said to be one of the group of men left at New Haven, in preparation for a new colony to come the following year. His wife acted as mid-wife, nurse and community doctor. She had a son by her first marriage to Mr. Potter, (we do not have a record of his name or birth, or whether John Beecher raised him). We know of only the one son born to John and Hannah.

Children

1. Isaac, b. about 1623, County Kent, England, d. 1690,
New Haven, Conn. Married about 1643, at
New Haven, Conn., Mary _____.

ISAAC BEECHER (son of John and Hannah(**** P otter) B eecher)
b. about 1623, County Kent, England, d. 1690
New Haven, Connecticut.

Married, about 1643, at New Haven Conn.

MARY _____

Children, all born at New Haven, Conn.

1. John, b. 1645, d. 5 Dec. 1712, New Haven, m. Elizabeth
Roberts, b. 1650
- II. Joseph, b. about 1647, d. 7 Oct. 1728 New Haven, m.
Lydia Roberts
- III. Isaac, b. 18 Aug. 1650, d. 1708 New Haven, m. Joanna
Roberts.
- IV. Samuel, b. 17 Oct. 1652, m. 2 July 1691, Sarah Sherwood
- V. Eleazor, b. 1655.

JOHN BEECHER (son of Isaac and Mary(_____) Beecher) b. 1645
New Haven, Conn., d. 5 Dec. 1712, New Haven, Conn.

Married,

ELIZABETH ROBERTS (da of William and Elizabeth (Tower) Roberts)
b. 1650 Milford, Conn., d. 1722, New Haven, Conn.

You will note that John, his brother Joseph, and his brother Isaac all married "Roberts Girls". We have the record of only one child born to John and Elizabeth but there were probably others.

Children

1. Mary, b. 23 Feb. 1672, bapt. 17 Jan. 1685-6 New Haven (C.I.)
Married 13 Feb. 1700, Benjamin Wilmot (son of
William and Sarah (Thomas) Wilmot, b. 7 Mar. 1661.

See WILMOT Line.

(unproven)

THOMAS SKIDMORE, born 1606, England, a descendant of Sir Thomas Scudamore of Holme Lacy, Herefordshire, England, d/ 1684,

Fairfield, Conn.,

Married (1) in England, before 1629

ELLEN

Married (2) Mrs. Joanne Baldwin, widow of Daniel Baldwin.

Married (3) Mrs. Sarah Treadwell, widow of Edward Treadwell

About 1635, Thomas Skidmore was of Westerly, County Gloucester, England, and he sailed for America in the latter part of 1635. In 1636 he was of Cambridge, Mass., and in 1640 he sent to England for his wife and family. In 1648 he owned a home lot in New London, Conn; in 1650 land in Stratford, Conn., and from there he moved to Fairfield, Conn; and in 1672 to Huntington, Long Island. He became town clerk of Huntington, Rep. to the General Assembly in 1673, and served in King Philip's War in 1676.

Children

- I. Thomas, b. 1641 Cambridge, Mass.
- II. Dorothy, married H. Griffin
- III. Jedidiah, b. 1629 England, m. Capt. Edward Higbee
- IV. John, b. 11 Apr. 1643, Cambridge, Mass. d. July, 1680
- V. Grace, m. John Goulding
- VI. Joseph

(unproven)

JOHN SKIDMORE (son of Thomas and Ellen Skidmore) b. 11 April 1643, Cambridge, Mass., d. July, 1680

Married, 1663

SUSANNAH _____ who died 22 Jan. 1740

Children

- I. John, b. about 1665, d. 22 Jan. 1740 Stratford, Conn.
 - II. Thomas, (lived in Jamaica, Long Island)
 - III. Joseph, (lived in Jamaica, Long Island)
 - IV. Samuel, b. 1666, d. 1733, m (1) Susannah, m (2) Hannah
- They had a daughter, Abigail, but they lived in Jamaica

(unproven)

JOHN SKIDMORE, (son of John and Susannah Skidmore) b. 1665, d. 22 Jan. 174), Stratford, Conn.

Married, about 1688

MARY NORTON, who died in Stratford, Conn., 28 Nov. 1748.

We know that John and Mary had sons John and Thomas, and recently we have found that they had a daughter, Mary. We have not found a daughter Abigail.

(proven)

ABIGAIL SKIDMORE "of Stratford" died 30 Dec. 1771 Waterbury Conn., bapt. 3 Oct. 1736, New Haven (C.I.)

Married, 19 Dec. 1733

BENJAMIN WILMOT (son of Benjamin and Mary (Beecher) Wilmot) b. 1 Dec. 1703, New Haven, Conn. d. 25 Jan. 1768

See WILMOT Line

Lt. THOMAS TRACY, b. at Tewksbury, Gloucester, in 1610, bapt. 1611.

Records in possession of Heralds College states that he was the son of Sir Paul Tracy, and one of twenty two children. He was the only one who came to America. He died Norwich, Conn.

7 Nov. 1685

Married (1) 1641 at Wethersfield, Conn.

MARY _____ b. _____ d. Saybrook, Conn. after 1654. (She was NOT the Mary, widow of Edward Mason, - see N.E.Hist.&Gene Reg. 61-93)

Married (2) before 1679 at Norwich "Martha" widow of Gov. Bradford's son, John, and da. of Thos Bourne, of Marshfield, Mass.

Married (3) after 1680 at Norwich "Mary" b. in England 1623, widow 1st of John Stoddard who died in 1664, second a widow of John Goodrich, who died 1680, and a (da. of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Demming) Foote of Wethersfield, Conn.)

Many books have been written about Lt. Thomas Tracy, tracing his line back as far as 1146 to Sire de Traci, Norman Baron and vassal of William the Conqueror, and relating his active life in America.

In his early manhood, he crossed the sea to the colony of Massachusetts Bay. He was listed as "Ship Carpenter". He stayed at Salem until 23 Feb. 1637, when he removed to Wethersfield, Conn., as he served that year on a jury at Hartford, Conn., and is on record the same year as a "sufferer by the thefts of a Robert Bede". In 1649 the General Court (Saybrook) appointed him on a committee. As late as 1652 and 1653 he was still in Saybrook. In 1660 he and his family removed to Norwich, of which town he was one of the proprietors. His house lot was of nine acres, situated "on the green" on the south side of the street, near the present northern entrance to the old burial ground in Norwich. The original house disappeared long ago. In 1733 there was no house on the lot, which was then known as the "orchard of Israel Lathrop".

Lt. Thomas Tracy was Lt. Dragoons; original Proprietor of Norwich, Conn., Rep. General Court 1662 for 27 sessions; Ensign Lt. Commissary, King Philip's War (services would qualify his descendants for Societies of Colonial Wars, and Colonial Dames); and many other positions and activities in the early forming of this country.

Lt. Thomas Tracy was well educated for the time in which he lived and this placed him to advantage among the leading men, directly upon his arrival in America. Through a long life, the legislature frequently appointed him upon important committees, and he held his full share of public offices, legislature, military and magisterial. He was a gentleman of consequence in the community, a thorough business man, and of the very best personal character. He left an estate of 5000 acres of land, valued at L- 680.

Children (all by his first wife)

1. John, b. 1642, m. Mary Winslow
11. Thomas, b. 1644, m. before 1675, d. 1724
111. Jonathan, b. 1646, m (1) 1672 Mary Griswold, m (2) 1711
Mary Richards
- IV. Solomon, b. 1651, m (1) 1676 Sarah Huntington, m (2) 1686
Sara Bliss Sluman
- V. Daniel, b. 1652 m (1) 1682 Abigail A dgate m (2) 1712
Hannah Backus Bingham
- VI. Samuel, b. 1654, d. 11 Jan. 1693 sine prole
- VII. Miriam, b. 1648, m. Thos. Waterman.

JONATHAN TRACY (son of Lt. Thos and Mary Tracy) b. 1646 at
Saybrook, Conn. d. 1711, P reston, Conn.

Married (1) 11 July 1672, Preston, Conn.

MARY GRISWOLD (da of Lt. Francis Griswold of Norwich, Conn.)
b. 26 Aug. 1656, Norwich Conn., d. 24 Apr. 1711.
Married (2) 21 Aug. 1711, Mary Richards. She m (2)
3 Sept. 1717, Elezer Jewett.

Jonathan Tracy settled upon the wild unreclaimed lands on the east side of Shelucket, then belonging to Norwich, Conn., but afterward included in Preston. He was the first Town Recorder of Preston; the first Lt. of the Trained Band, in the year 1690; a Selectman in 1698; Deputy from P reston in the Legislature of 1699, 1700 and 1710; and was the first Justice of the P eace which position he held until his death.

On November 16, 1698, the First Church was embodied in P reston, and they who "offered themselves as matter for a church" were Thomas Tracy and J onathan Tracy, sons of Lt. Thomas Tracy. Before the first sabbath of Communion at the Lords Supper, "Mrs. Tracy" the wife of Jonathan, was admitted.

In an old graveyard, devoted to Tracys, Forbes, and other early inhabitants of P reston, is a rough headstone carved with the letters "J T" and date "1711" which is thought to point our his grave. This is probably so, as an inventory of his estate was taken Feb. 12, 1712.

Children, all by first wife, the first two born in
Norwich, the remainder at P reston, Conn.

1. Jonathan, b. 21 Feb. 1674, d. 2 5 Feb. 1704
11. Christopher, b. 1 May 1680, m. 20 May 1705 Lydia Parish.
He died 9 Feb. 1724
111. David, b. 24 Sept. 1687, m. 1709 Sarah Parish who
d. 1729.
- IV. Francis, b. 1 Apr. 1690.
- V. Samuel, b. 5 June 1697
- VI. Hannah, b. 8 July 1677
- VII. Mary, b. 7 Sept. 1682
- VIII. Mariam, b. 23 Apr. 1685.
- IX. Sarah, b. 2 Aug. 1692, d. 6 Sept. 1693

JONATHAN TRACY (son of Jonathan and Mary (Griswold) Tracy)
 b. 21 Feb. 1674, d. 25 Feb. 1704. P reston, Conn.
 Married, 11 Feb. 1700, P reston, Conn.
 ANNAH (AMIE) PALMER

The only record found of Jonathan Tracy, J r., and his wife Annah, was that he and his wife Annah were admitted into the First Church at P reston on January 23, 1704, at the same time their two children were baptized. He died the following month, leaving his wife with two babies.

Children, both born in P reston, Conn.

1. J onathan, b. 30 Nov. 1702, Bapt. First Church 23 Jan. 1704
11. Annah, b. 29 Oct. 1703 " " " " "

JONATHAN TRACY (son of Jonathan and Annah (P almer) Tracy)
 b . 30 Nov. 1702, Preston, Conn., d. between
 Mar. 18 and 31, 1777
 Married (1) 19 Feb. 1723, Anna P almer (da of Moses and
 Abigail (Allen) P akmer) b. 3 Dec. 1706, d. 13 Oct.
 1744, P reston, Conn.
 Married (2) P reston, Conn., 19 May 1747
 LUCY AVERY (da. of Joseph and Tabitha (Gardiner) Avery) b. 2 May
 1723, Stonington, Conn., d. before 5 May 1755.

J onathan Tracy, by the first wife, had nine children, two of whom, Samuel b 28 Feb. 1731; and P erez, b. 18 J une 1744, served in the Revolution.

Since our line is thru the children of the second marriage, we are only recording the information we have found concerning them, and the wife, Lucy Avery Tracy. We find that on December 17, 1749, "L ucy, wife of Jonathan Tracy, professed faith and baptised in the First Church of P reston, and on that same day daughter, Lucy, was also baptised.

In Jonathan Tracy's will, made March 18, and proved March 31, 1777, J onathan mentioned his children by his first wife, and the children by his second wife, Lucy Avery, as follows:

"Israel, Submit Hartshorn, and grandchildren by the name of Wilmot, children of daughter Lucy Wilmot, deceased."

The will is listed and recorded in Norwich 4.131. Several attempts have been made to obtain a copy of the will, but to date (1959) we have been unsuccessful.

Children, all bapt. First Church, P reston, (Congregational

1. Lucy, bapt. 17 Dec. 1749, m. 11 June 1767, d. 22 Sept.; 776
11. Hannah, bapt. 27 Nov. 1750, d. before 1777
111. Israel, bapt. 26 Apr. 1752, m. Mary Petegal
- 1V. Submit, bapt. 28 Apr. 1754, m. Joseph Hartshorn,
 d. 16 Jan. 1806, Mansfield

LUCY TRACY (da of Jonathan and Lucy (Avery) Tracy) bapt. 17 Dec.
1749, First Church, Preston, Conn., d. 22 Sept.
1776, Woodbury, Conn.

Married 11 June 1767, as his second wife,
REUBEN WILMOT (son of Benjamin and Abigail (Skidmore) Wilmot)
b. 24 July, 1745.

Lucy Tracy's mother died when she was about six years old.
We know that she received a legacy from her mother's father
(Joseph Avery 1692-1753) in the year 1755 (Joseph Avery's
will recorded Norwich 1.454)

Lucy's own father died shortly after she, and so her portion
of the estate was given to her children. (Jonathan Tracy's
will is recorded in Norwich 4.131)

It is not known who took care of the children, aged from one
to six, when Lucy Avery Tracy died; - perhaps some of the
older children by Jonathan Tracy's first wife. Nor is it
known how she met Reuben Wilmot from Woodbury; nor is it known
whether Reuben was at home, or at war, when she died in 1776.
She must have been famous. as her name was used by two generations
following. in the Wilmot Line.

See WILMOT Line

EDWARD GRISWOLD (son of George Griswold of Kenilworth, England)
 b. abt. 1607, d. 1691 Kenilworth (now Clinton) Conn.
 Married, about 1630
 MARGARET _____ (thought to be a "Hicks") d. 23 Aug. 1670, Clinton.
 Married (2) Sarah Diamond Bemis (widow of James Bemis
 of New London and da. of John and Rebecca Diamond).

Edward Griswold was a native of Kenilworth, in Warwickshire, England, born, according to desposition in the State Records at Hartford, in 1607. He came to America in 1639 with his brother Matthew, who was 19 years of age, and unmarried. On the ship with them was William Whiting, an undertaker, and the Rev. Ephraim Hult, and perhaps his wife and children. The records show that his wife and children were with him in 1640, but he may have gone back to England, or sent for them a year later. He was the Colonial Agent for a Mr. St. Nicholas of Knowle, Warwickshire, as a number of invoices and accounts are on record showing this connection. He was at Windsor, Conn., from 1640 to 1662, when he removed to Kellingsworth, as one of the leaders in the settlement of the place, and was its first Magistrate. Before leaving Windsor, he served twice, in 1651 and 1662, on the jury in the trial of persons accused of witchcraft, and in both cases, the accused persons were pronounced worthy of death. While in Windsor, too, in 1659, he helped build the fort for Mr. Pynchon, one of the most famous Colonial soldiers. Soon after he moved to Kellingsworth, the name of the village was changed to Kenilworth, after his home in England (now known as Clinton). He served the General Courts of Kenilworth in 1662 and 1663, and held many other positions of merit. His wife, Margaret, was buried in the Congregational Burying Ground, - her gravestone is marked "MG 1670".

Children: All by Margaret, first 5 b. England, others
 in Windsor, Connecticut.

1. Sarah, b. England, d. 1631.
11. George, b. 1633, d. 3 Sept. 1704, Windsor, Conn. m. Mary Holcomb.
111. Francis, b. 1635, d. Oct. 1671, Norwich, Conn.
- IV. Liddia, b. 1637, probl d. yg.
- V. Sarah, b. 1638. m (1) Samuel Phelps (son of William) 10 Nov. 1660 m (2) 21 July 1670 Nathaniel Pinney.
- VI. John, b. _____ d. 1642
- VII. Ann. Bapt. 19 June 1642
- VIII. Mary, Bapt. 13 Oct. 1644, m. Timothy Phelps (son of William) 19 March 1661
- IX. Deborah, bapt. 28 June 1646, m. Samuel Buell 13 Nov. 1662.
- X. Joseph, bapt. 12 March 1647, d. 14 Nov. 1714, m. Mary Gay - lord (da of Samuel) 14 July 1670
- XI. Samuel, bapt. 18 Nov. 1649, d. 6 July 1672, unm.
- XII. John, bapt. 1 Aug. 1652, m (1) Mary Bemis (da of his stepmother) 28 Nov. 1672, m (2) Barthsheba (North or Jewett)

Lt. FRANCIS GRISWOLD (son of Edward and Margaret Griswold)
 b. 1635, England, d. Oct. 1671, Norwich, Conn.
 Married (1) about 1652

Married (2) Sarah _____

Lt. Francis Griswold was made Freeman in Windsor in 1657. It is written that he appeared "to have been a man of capacity and enterprise." He took an active part in the affairs of the "Plantation", serving as Representative of the General Court for 11 sessions, beginning October 1664, and ending May, 1671. (Norwich)

Children, - first one born in Windsor, next three in Saybrook, and last five in Norwich.

- I. Sarah, b. 28 March, 1653, m. 1670, Robert Chapman
- II. Joseph, b. 4 June 1655, d. July, 1655.
- III. Mary, b. 26 Aug. 1656, d. 18 Sept. 1723, m. Jonathan Tracy.
- IV. Hannah, b. 11 Dec. 1660, m. 7 Mar. 1677, 8, William Clark.
- V. Deborah, b. May 1661, m. 19 Dec. 1678 Jonathan Crane.
- VI. Lydia, b. June 1663, d. 1664.
- VII. Samuel, b. 16 Sept. 1665
- VIII. Margaret, b. October 1668, m. Thomas Buckingham.
- IX. Lydia, b. October 1671.

MARY GRISWOLD (da of Lt. Francis Griswold) b. 26 Aug. 1656,
 Saybrook, Conn. d. 18 Sept. 1723, Preston, Conn.
 Married, 11 July, 1672

JONATHAN TRACY (son of Lt. Thomas Tracy) b. 1646 Wethersfield,
 Conn., d. 1711, Preston, Conn.

See Tracy Line.

CHRISTOPHER AVERY, born in England, 1590, d. New London, Conn.,
and buried 12 March, 1670

Married 16 Aug. 1616 at Ippleden, Devonshire, England.

MARGARET STEPHENS (da. of Edward and Margaret Stephens of
Kingsweard). (Edward was a Mariner and died 1626

Christopher Avery came to America either on the Ship "Arabella" with Gov. Winthrop landing in Salem, Mass., on June 12, 1630; or he came with the younger Winthrop in 1631. He left his wife in England, but brought his son James with him. He is first found at Cape Ann, Mass., and later at Gloucester, Mass., where he was a Selectman in 1646, 1652, and 1654. In 1656 he sold lands in Gloucester, and removed to Boston, where, on the 16th of March, 1658-9, he purchased a small lot about 26' x 46'. It was located in what is now the enter of the Post Office Building, facing Devonshire Street. The famous old spring, which gave the name to "Spring Lane", and even now preserved under the Post Office, was nereby to Christopher's home, and he no doubt used it way back in 1658. Christopher, however, did not long retain this property, for on the 22nd of March 1663, he sold the land to Ambrose Dew for forty pounds. He now followed his son to Connecticut, and on Aug. 8, 1665, he purchased a house, orchard, and lot in Groton, Conn., and was made Freeman of the Colony in October, 1669. We have record of only the one child, James, but there may be others that he left in England with his wife.

Children, born in England

1. James, born 1620, d. 18 April 1700, Groton, Conn.

Capt. JAMES AVERY (son of Christopher and Margaret (Stephens) Avery) b. 1620, England, d. 18 April 1700, Groton, Conn.

Married (1) Boston, Mass., 10 Nov. 1643

JOANNA GREENSLADE (da. of Thomas) born about 1622, d. after 1693.

Married (2) Mrs. Abigail (Ingraham) Cheesbrough,
widow of Joshua Holmes, on July 4, 1698.

She was living as late as 1714.

Capt. James Avery, the only child of Christopher, and properly the founder of the family that is called the "Groton Averys", settled first in Gloucester, Mass., where his first three children were born; then in New London, Conn.; and finally in Groton, Conn. He was given a grant of land, 19 Oct. 1650, at Cape Ann Lane and in 1652 a farm in Groton. He was the Pequot Arbitrator and Adjustments Officer. In 1678 the Commissioners granted Capt. James Avery 5 pounds for his good services in assisting the government of the Pequots for sundry past years. He was elected 12 times to the General Court, from 1658 to 1680. He was a member of the Congregational Church. The house that Capt. James Avery built in Groton in 1656, was occupied by eight successive generations of Averys. It was burnt to the ground on the night of July 20th, 1894. He was a soldier in King Philips War in 1675 (see "Soldiers of King Philips War" by Badge, page 467) and Captain of the Train Band of New London in May 1681 (see "Register of Connecticut Society of Colonial Dames of America," Page 212)

Avery memorial, in Groton, erected by the descendants of Capt. James Avery, on his homestead of 1656, stands today (1960) on Route US I. Descendants John D. Rockefeller and Bela Lyon Pratt donated and designed the shaft.

Children

- I. Hannah b. 11 Oct. 1644, m. 20 June 1666 Epharam Miner
- II. James, b. 15 Dec. 1646, m. 18 Feb. 1669, Deborah Sterling (Stallyon)
- III. Mary, b. 19 Feb. 1648, m. 28 Oct. 1668, Joseph Miner. She d. 2 Feb. 1708.
- IV. Thomas, b. 6 May 1651, m. 22 Oct. 1677, Hannah Miner, and (2) Hannah Bulkeley. He d. 5 Jan. 1737 Probably born New London, Conn.
- V. John, b. 10 Feb. 1654, m. 29 Nov. 1675 Abigail Cheesbrough, the daughter of his father's second wife.
- VI. Rebecca, b. 6 Oct. 1656, m. 5 Aug. 1678, William Potts.
- VII. Jonathan, b. 5 Jan. 1658, d. 15 Sept. 1681
- VIII. Christopher, b. 30 Apr. 1661, d. 5 Dec. 1683.
- IX. Samuel, b. 16 Aug. 1664, m. 25 Oct. 1686, Susannah Paines. He d. 1 May 1723.

JAMES AVERY (son of Capt. James and Joanna (Greenslade) Avery) born at Gloucester, Mass. 15 Dec. 1646, d. 22 Aug. 1728 Groton, Conn., Married, 20 Feb. 1669, New London, Conn.

DEBORAH STERLING ((Stallyon) (da. of Edward Stallyon, who d. 14 May 1703) She d. 27 March 1729

James Avery, like his father, was a distinguished man, and settled in Groton, where his thirteen children were born, and where he died. He may have first settled in New London, as on February 12, 1670 "James Avery's wife Deborah, was baptised in the First Church of New London." On Jan. 12, 1670-1, Edward Stallyon and Margaret, his wife, deeded land to their son-in-law James Avery, Jr., which land they gave him with their daughter "Deborah, his now wife" (New London Deeds 5.18)

Children, all born in Groton, Conn.

- I. Deborah, b. 1 Aug. 1671
- II. James, b. 20 Apr. 1673, m. Mary Griswold, d. 18 Sept. 1754
- III. Margaret, b. 4 Feb. 1674, d. 18 Sept. 1754
- IV. Edward, b. 20 Mar. 1676, m. Joanna Rose, 12 Oct. 1710
- V. Christopher, b. 23 Jan. 1680, m. Abigail Payson, m. (2) Elizabeth Parks.
- VI. Ebenezer, b. 1 May 1678, m. 19 June 1708 Dorothy Parks
- VII. Jonathan, b. 9 Nov. 1681.
- VIII. Mercy, b. 4 Feb. 1683, bapt. 19 July 1685 1st Church Christ.
- IX. Hannah, b. 4 March 1685, m. Samuel Morgan
- X. Joseph, b. Aug. 1691, bapt. 17 Apr. 1692, 1st Church, N.L. Conn.
- XI. Sarah, b. 10 May 1688, m. _____ Latham.

- XII. Mary, bapt. 2 July, 1693, m. William Morgan
- XIII. Benjamin, b. 1693 (some records show 1696, but he may have been a twin with Mary.

JOSEPH AVERY (son of James and Deborah (Sterling) Avery), bapt.
17 Apr. 1692, New London, Conn., d. 27 June 1753
Norwich, Conn.

Married

TABITHA GARDINER (da of William and Elizabeth Gardiner of Kingston
R.I.) b. _____ d. after 1755.

There is some controversy over the parents of Tabitha Gardiner. However, genealogists have come to the conclusion that she was the daughter of the Gardiners of Kingston, R.I. because Joseph Avery had a farm in Kingston, R.I., and he must have come by it through his wife. Joseph and Tabitha Avery had a daughter Tabitha who married Henry Skilton of South Kingston, R.I. A story has been handed down in the Skilton family to the effect that Joseph Avery offered this farm to his oldest son, Joseph, if he would occupy the small house upon it during the winter and feed and care for the stock. When Joseph, the son, declined the offer, the daughter Tabitha accepted it. It was during this winter on the farm that she met Henry Skilton, whom she married. (This probably could be proved with a search for the will of William and Elizabeth Gardiner, or a search of the deeds would establish how Joseph Avery came in possession of land and cattle so far away from his own home.

Under date of January 10, 1717, we find that "James Avery, through love, deeded to his son Joseph, land that he had bought from Isaac Harrington. This land was situated east of the River Quinabauge, at a place called Pabaquamaque, - 60 acres bounded by the Common, River Quinabague and Pachogue Brook". Under date of March 16, 1717, James Avery deeded to Joseph, two additional tracts of land through "love he bears his dutiful son, Joseph". Under date of September 1, 1729, Ebenezer Avery deeded to his brother, Joseph Avery, "through love" the land in Norwich "on which the said Joseph now dwells" (Norwich Deeds 1.65 and 6.467) Nothing has been written of his life, but it would appear he had been much loved by his family. An entry in Jabez Fitch's diary (Mayflower Descendants 1.38), under date of June 27, 1753, Norwich states that "Old Avery was drowned". His estate was inventoried at Norwich November 6, 1753, but it was not wholly divided until May 5, 1755. The heirs were the widow Tabitha Avery, sons Joseph and Benjamin, daughter Tabitha (Avery Skilton, and the heirs of daughter Lucy, deceased, wife of Jonathan Tracy (Norwich Wills 1.454).

Children

1. Joseph, b. 26 Sept. 1715
- II. Tabitha, b. 25 Feb 1717, m. Henry Skilton of S. Kingston, R.I .
- III. Elizabeth, b. 24 Aug. 1719, d. Aug. 6, 1743 unm.
- IV. Benjamin, b. 4 Sept. 1721
- V. Lucy, b. 2 May 1723, m. Jonathan Tracy.

LUCY AVERY (da of Joseph and Tabitha (Gardiner) Avery) b. 2 May, 1723, Norwich, and died between Feb. 4, 1754 and May 5, 1755.

Married, 19 May 1747, at Preston, Conn., as his 2nd wife JONATHAN TRACY (son of Jonathan and Annah (Palmer) Tracy), b. 20 Nov. 1702, at P reston, Conn.

Lucy Avery Tracy was alive February 4, 1754 at which time she and her husband were deeded certain land which came to them from her father, Joseph Avery, lately deceased. However, at the time of the final division of Joseph Avery's estate on May 5th, 1755 she was not living, - as the heirs of the daughter "Lucy, deceased wife of Jonathan Tracy," inherited their mother's portion.

See Tracy Line.

EDWARD STALLYON (Stallion or Sterling) b _____ d/ ;4 May 1703.
Married (1)

MARGARET

Married (2) Elizabeth Miller, who bore him a son "Edward".

The first metion we find of Edward Stallyon, was in New London, Connecticut in 1650. It is therefore presumed that he arrived in New England, with his wife Margaret, about that time, - or he may have come from England alone, and married Margaret shortly after he came. We know that Margaret was still living in 1671, as we find in the New London Deeds Book 5:18, that on Jan.12, 1670 or 1671, "Edward Stallyon and Margaret, his wife, deeded land to their son-in-law, James Avery, Jr., which land they gave him with their daughter Deborah has now wife." This was signed by Edward Stallyon and James Avery. This, of course, proves that the Deborah Sterling who married James Avery, Jr., was the daughter of Edward Stallyon and Margaret.

Children, by his first wife

1. Deborah b. _____ m. 18 Feb. 1669, Lt. James A very, Jr.
11. Sarah, b _____ m. 1673 John Edgecomb
111. Margaret, b _____ m. Pasco Foote

DEBORAH STERLING (da of Edward and Margaret Stallyon) b _____
d. 27 Mar. 1729

Married, 18 Feb. 1669, New London, Conn.

JAMES AVERY, Jr., (son of Capt. James and Joanne (Greenslade) Avery)
b. 15 Dec. 1644, d. 22 Aug. 1728.

Deborah, perhaps before, but definitely when she married, changed the spelling of the family name from Stallyon to Sterling. On February 12, 1670 it is recorded that "James Avery's wife, Deborah, was baptised in the First Church of New London."

See AVERY LINE

GEORGE GARDINER, born in England, 13 Feb. 1599, d. Newport
R.I., 1677.

Married (1) Widow Herodias (Long) Hicks.

Married (2) 1668

LYDIA BALLOU (da of Robert and Susanna Ballou). She d. 1722

The Gardiner reference book stated that George Gardiner divorced his first wife, the Widow Herodias (Long) Hicks Gardiner in 1665, and that she married a Mr. Porter. Three years later he married Lydia.

Children

- I. Benoni, b. _____
- II. William, b. about 1672, d. 1717 Kingston, R.I.
m. Elizabeth _____
- III. Nicholas, b. _____ d. 1712, m. Hannah P almer (da of
Geo and Bethia (Mowry) P almer) of Providence,
R.I. She was b. 1705
- IV. Samuel, b. _____ m. Widow Elizabeth (Carr) Brown (widow
of James Brown, who died before 1683). She d.
after 1697 (da of Robert Carr)
- V. Hannah, b. _____ m. Thomas Bancroft.

WILLIAM GARDINER (son of George and Lydia (Ballou) Gardiner)
b. abt. 1672 and died 1717, Kingston, R.I.

Married,

ELIZABETH _____

Children

- I. John, (of Washington County, R.I.)
- II. Tabitha, b. 1690-1695, Kingston, R.I., m abt. 1715
Joseph Avery.

TABITHA GARDINER (da of William and Elizabeth Gardiner) b. 1690-
1695 at Kingston, R.I.

Married, about 1715

JOSEPH AVERY (son of James and Deborah (Sterling) Avery) bapt.
17 April 1692, New London, Connecticut.

Tabitha Gardiner was always referred to as "Tabitha Gardiner of Kingston, R.I." and so her parentage is pretty well identified. There has been some question, but the facts given above should be proof.

See AVERY Line

(Unproven)

GEORGE SAXTON, born England, 1618, d. 1688-90 Westfield, Mass.

Married

CATHERINE _____, who died in Westfield, Mass. 19 Sept. 1689.

George Saxton, with his six year old brother, Richard, came from London, England, 17 July, 1635, on the ship "Blessing". He settled in Windsor Conn., and was presumably married there. In 1671 George and his family moved to Westfield, Mass. The brother, Richard, married 15 April, 1647 a girl by the name of Sara Cook, a sister of Nathaniel Cook. They had three daughters and one son, John. This son, John, married a Mary Hill and they had no sons. Richard died 3 May 1662 and Sara died 13 June 1674. If the records are complete, and there are no male heirs to Richard, research on his line would be useless. George Saxton is therefore probably the founder of the prolific Saxton Family in America. We have a record of six children, the first five born in Windsor, Conn., and the sixth in Westfield, Mass.

Children

1. George, b. 1658, m. Hannah Spencer and moved to Newton.
- II. James, b. 1660, d. 12 Dec. 1741, Westfield, Mass.,
m. Hannah Fowles (or Fowler), b. 20 Dec. 1654
(da. of Ambrose and Jane (Alford) Fowles or Fowler)
He m. (2) Ann Bancroft, b. 1663, d. 1732 Westfield
Mass. He m. (3) 3 Feb. 1734, Mary (Burbank, (Miller)
McCanny) bapt. 1666 (da. of John Burbank) who died
1740 Westfield, Mass. James had two sons, - John
who lived in Westfield, and James who m. 1728,
Abalene Gilbert and moved to Sheffield, Mass.
- III. Daniel, b. 1660, d. 1710 or 1716, Queens County, L.I.
He m. 9 Dec. 1680, Sarah Bancroft of Westfield, Mass.
- IV. Capt. Joseph, b. 1664, d. 18 July 1742 at Somers Conn.
He m. 1690 Hannah Wright (da. of Abel and Martha
(Kitcherel Wright) of Springfield, Mass.
She died 1742.
- V. Benjamin, b. 1667, Windsor, Conn. d. 1690 Westfield, Mass.
- VI. John, b. 26 May 1673, Westfield, Mass.

(Unproven)

Captain JOSEPH SAXTON (son of George and Catherine Saxton) b. 1660
Windsor, Conn. d. 18 July, 1742, Somers, Conn.

Married, 1690

HANNAH WRIGHT (da. of Abel and Martha Kitcherel) Wright) of
Springfield, Mass. She died 1742.

According to a record of the Wright family, their first son Gershom, was born in Westfield, Mass. According to Stiles' "Windsor" Captain Joseph moved from Windsor, Conn., with his father and family, to Westfield, Mass. where he was married, then back to Connecticut to Enfield and finally to Somers, Conn., where he died. It is probably so that he moved to Enfield in 1692 when Stiles began listing the children. Our forefather, Ebenezer Saxton was not listed as a child of Capt. Joseph Saxton, - but he was always referred to in the records, as "Ebenezer Saxton from Enfield, Conn." and as far as known, Capt. Joseph was the only Saxton who had resided in Enfield.

Ebenezer's birth date (1705-1715) could be correct for Capt. Joseph, as his children's birth dates range from 1691 to 1709 and beyond. He, however, could be the child of Capt. Joseph's sons, Gershom or Ens. Joseph; Jr. Further research, however, would have to be made to verify the connection. The children known to belong to Capt. Joseph, are:

Children

1. Gershom, b. 1691, Westfield, Mass.
11. Hannah, b. 18 May 1692, m. 22 June 1710, John Harmon, Jr.
111. Ens. Joseph, Jr., b. 1694, m. Sara Parsons, 16 Oct. 1723
She was da. of Samuel and Hannah (Hitchcock) Parsons of Enfield, Conn., b. 10 Aug. 1704, d. 25 Aug. 1747, Sommers, Conn. They had 10 children.
He m (2) 13 May 1748, Widow Mary Collins of Enfield, Conn. He m (3) Hannah (May) Chaffee of Woodstock, b. 1 Oct. 1704, d. 26 May 1787
- IV. Mindwell, b. 1696
- V. Daniel, b. 1700, d. 8 Oct. 1791, m. Mary Douglas, 4 Sept. 1734.
She was b. 14 Feb. 1716, New London, Conn., d. 27 Apr. 1800, Sommers, Conn.
- VI. Ezekiel, b. 1704, m. Grace Caulkins
- VII. Charles, b. 27 Jan. 1709, d. 16 Sept. 1762, m. Bathsheba Geer
- VIII. Amos, b. _____ m. Elizabeth Morris

(Proven)

EBENEZER SAXTON "from Enfield, Conn." born 1705-1715, d. 1795
"at the age of 80 or 90 years" Waterbury, Conn.
Married, 7 Sept. 1742, Wallingford, Conn. (V.S.)
EUNICE BENHAM (da of James and Esther (Preston) Benham) b. 5 Aug. 1723, d. 2 June, 1758, Waterbury, Conn.
Married (2) 5 Sept. 1758, Waterbury, Conn. (V.S.)
Elizabeth Roberts.

From Jacobus' "New Haven Families" Vol. 7, Page 1602, we find that Ebenezer Saxton "from Enfield" was residing in Wallingford, Conn., and that he had 22 children. A partial list is given below.

Children:

1. Jehiel, b. 1 Oct. 1743, Wallingford, Conn (V.S.) d. 11 Feb. 1789, Watertown, Conn., age 46 (Mortality Lists by Judd and Skilton)
- 11 ? (Unknown)
111. Eunice, b. 1746, d. 5 Apr. 1788 (Watertown Mortality List)
- 114 ? (Unknown)
- V. "
- VI. Jerusha, b. 7 Feb. 1750 Wallingford, (V.S.) m. 31 Mar. 1768 Woodbury, Conn., Avon Crissey
- VII. Sarah, b. 13 May 1754 Waterbury (V.S.) m. after 1776 Reuben Wilmot as his third wife.
- VIII. Lydia, b. 7 Mar. 1756, Waterbury (V.S.) m. 16 Nov. 1778, Osee Bartholomew (They were in Waterbury in 1790 with 3 boys and 1 girl. One of Sarah Saxton Wilmot's children was named "Osee" probably after Lydia's husband)
- IX. Joseph, b. 25 Sept. 1759 Waterbury (V.S.)

- X. John, b. 7 Mar. 1761, Waterbury (V.S.)
 XI. Hannah, b. 8 Mar. 1764, "
 XII. Mamue, b. 14 Mar. 1766, Waterbury (V.S.)
 XIII. Mary, b. 23 Dec. 1767 " d. 26 Mar. 1772
 XIV. Dan, b. 4 Nov. 1769
 XV. Sybil, b. 3 Aug. 1771

JEHEIL SAXTON (son of Ebenezer and Eunice (Benham) Saxton,
 b. 1 Oct. 1743, Wallingford, Conn. d. 11 Feb. 1789,
 age 46, Watertown, Conn.

Married, 15 Jan. 1765 East Haddam, Conn. 1st Congr. Church
 RHODA ACKLEY (da of Isaac and Ruth (Gates) Ackley), b. 10 Nov.
 1747, East Haddam, Conn., Bapt. 20 Dec. 1747.
 She m (2) 26 May 1791 at Watertown, Conn.,
 Jacob Foote, who died 6 April 1810. She died
 at the home of her daughter, Jedidiah (Mrs. Uri
 Doolittle) in Paris, Oneida County New York,
 after 1810.

Not much has been found about our Jeheil Saxton. One source
 states that he was a "Post Rider". We know that he had land
 interests in East Haddam, and that he resided in Waterbury
 and Watertown, Connecticut.

Children

1. Jedidiah, b. 25 July, 1766, m. Uri Doolittle, Paris N.Y.
- II. Anne, b. 15 Sept. 1768, Waterbury, d. 12 June 1855, m.
 Luther Richards (who sold land to Jeheil, Jr.
 and to Isaac)
- III. Lucy, b. 9 Oct. 1770, Waterbury, Conn.
- IV. Jeheil, Jr., b. abt. 1772, d. 1819 Paris Hills, Oneida
 County, N.Y.
- V. Isaac, b. _____ m. Lucy _____
- VI. Rhoda, b. 11 Jan. 1778, Watertown, d. 9 Jan. 1867, Oneida
 County, N.Y. m. Benj. Tracy Wilmot.
- VII. James, b. 30 May 1782, d. 13 Aug. 1848 in Ohio. m.
 Salome Pierce

RHODA SAXTON (da of Jeheil and Rhoda (Ackley) Saxton), b. 11 Jan.
 1778, Watertown, Conn., d. 9 Jan. 1867, age 89
 years, Oneida County, N.Y.

Married, 9 Jan. 1794 (Bible Record)

BENJAMIN TRACY WILMOT (son of Reuben and Lucy (Tracy) Wilmot)
 b. 20 Aug. 1771, Woodbury, Conn.

See WILMOT Line

NICHOLAS ACKLEY, probably born in England, d. 22 Apr. 1695,
Haddam. Conn.

Married (1)

HANNAH _____ who died after 1672

Married (2) Miriam who died after 1695.

The first record of Nicholas was found in Hampshire County, Mass., on 20 May, 1635; the next record in Hartford, Conn., in 1655; and the next record "among the First Settlers of Thirty Mile Island" on 29 October 1667, where he owned 6 acres "toward Saybrook, Conn." He also owned a "little island near the cove". Hannah was the mother of his twelve children, nine of whom are recorded. He died in 1695, and his second wife, Miriam, survived him.

Children

1. Hannah, b. 1636, Hartford, m. 1674 Edward Purple
- II. Elizabeth b. 1658, Hartford, m. (1) John Cocshoth,
m (2) Able Shalor
- III. Thomas, b. 1660 Hartford, d. 16 Jan. 1704, East Haddam.
- IV. Nathaniel, b. _____ d. 27 Feb. 1710
- V. Sgt. John, b. 1665, Hartford, d. August 1736
- VI. Mary, b. 1668, m. Thomas Crippeer
- VII. Lydia, b. 1670, m. 1694, Thomas Robinson
- VIII. James, b. _____ m. 1706, Elizabeth
- IX. Samuel, b. 1672, Hartford, d. 27 Apr. 1745, m. 1700
Bethia.

SAMUEL ACKLEY (son of Nicholas and Hannah Ackley) b. 1672,
Hartford, Conn. d. 27 Apr. 1745, East Haddam, Conn.
Married, about 1700

BETHIA _____ b. _____ died 12 Mar. 1764.

Samuel and Bethia Ackley were baptized 6 Oct. 1706, at East Haddam but the records state that Samuel joined the church on 10 May, 1730 and Bethia on 18 Oct. 1730. These dates seem strange, and we wonder what the explanation is, why it was so many years between the dates of baptism and joining the church. Their first three children were born in Haddam, and the next four in East Haddam, Conn.

Children

1. Samuel, b. 8 Dec. 1703, m. 1727 Hannah Hungerford
- II. Jerusha, b. 29 Mar. 1707, m. _____ graves
- III. Debora, b. 11 July 1709, m. Edward Scoville
- IV. Simeon, b. 10 Jan. 1713, m. 8 Nov. 1739 Alice Fuller.
m (2) 25 May 1749, Elizabeth Crocker
- V. Stephen, b. 25 July, 1717.
- VI. Elijah, b. 28 Mar. 1719, m. 1741 Abigail Blakeslee.
- VII. Isaac, b. 6 Oct. 1721, d. 17 Dec. 1798, m. (1) Ruth
Gates, m (2) Widow Abigail (Hurd) Gates.

ISAAC ACKLEY (son of Samuel and Bethia Ackley) b. 6 Oct. 1721,
East Haddam, Conn., d. there 17 Dec. 1798

Married (1), 1745

RUTH GATES (da of Daniel and Rebecca (Dutton) Gates) b. 10 Aug.
1721, East Haddam, Conn. d. there 25 Dec. 1789

Married (2) Widow Abigail (Hurd) Gates (sister-in-law
of Ruth Gates). She died 18 June 1793

Isaac Ackley " died suddenly on the 17 of December, 1798, in
his 78th year" and is buried in the Congregational Church
Yard, opposite the Town Hall, East Haddam, Conn. His wife
Ruth is also buried there. Ruth was the mother of all of his
children, all born in East Haddam, Conn.

Children

1. Demaris, b. 16 Feb. 1746, bapt. 30 Mar. 1746
11. Rhoda, b. 10 Nov. 1747, bapt. 20 Dec. 1747, m. 15 Jan.
1765, Jeheil Saxton.
111. Temperance, b. 27 Sept. 1749, d. 20 May 1821, m. Joel
Miner
- 1V. Ruth, b. 23 May 1752, bapt. 9 May 1752, d. 1843
- V. Prudence, b. 5 Aug. 1754, bapt. 8 Sept. 1754, m. 22 Dec.
1778, William Lee
- VI. Lucy, b. 9 Oct. 1757, d. 4 Aug. 1811, m. 13 Apr. 1784
Israel Cone
- VII. Isaac Chalker (called Chalker) b. 18 Mar. 1760,
bapt. 4 May 1760, d. 12 Nov. 1848, aged 88.
m. 27 Apr. 1785, Ruth Burr. He served in the
Revolutionary War.
- VIII. Israel Dutton, b. 5 Jan. 1763, bapt. 6 June 1763,
d. 13 Oct. 1764
- IX. Olive, b. 26 Aug. 1765, bapt. 1 Sept. 1765, d. 12 Sept.
1840, Peru, Mass., m. 28 Apr. 1785 Daniel Cone.

RHODA ACKLEY (da of Isaac and Ruth (Gates) Ackley) b. 10 Nov. 1747
East Haddam, Conn. Bapt. 20 Dec. 1747

Married (1) 15 Jan. 1765 at the First Congregational
Church, of East Haddam, Conn.

JEHEIL SAXTON (son of Ebenezer and Eunice (Benham) Saxton)
b. 1 Oct. 1743 Wallingford, Conn.

Married (2) 26 May, 1791, Watertown, Conn., as his
second wife, Jacob Foote. (Jacob Foote's first
wife was Esther Doolittle, who died 30 Aug. 1790)

Rhoda Ackley Saxton died between the years 1810 and 1830,
in Oneida County, New York at the home of her daughter
Jedidia, - wife of Uri Doolittle, Paris, New York.

See SAXTON Line.

Capt. GEORGE GATES (son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Weeden) Gates) b. 1634, England, d. 12 Nov. 1724
East Haddam, Conn.

Married 1660

SARAH OLMSTEAD (da. of Nicholas and Sarah (Loomis) Olmstead, b. 1647 Hartford, Conn., d. 7 Nov. 1709
East Haddam, Conn.

George Gates came to Hartford Conn., in 1654, - to live with Nicholas Olmstead. At that time he was a young man of twenty, and why he should come to "live with Nicholas Olmstead" or whether he had left his parents and family in England, is not recorded. Whether Mr. Olmstead was a relation, or a friend of the family is not recorded. At any rate, six years later he married Sarah Olmstead. He was known as "Captain Gates", probably receiving the grade from the Indian Wars. We know of two children, but there probably were others.

Children

1. Thomas, b. 1664, d. 20 Apr. 1734, m. 1693 Hannah Brainard (da of Daniel and Hannah (Spencer) Brainard)
11. Daniel, b. 4 Mar. 1680, East Haddam, d. 24 Nov. 1761
East Haddam, m. 1705 Rebecca Dutton, b. 18 Aug. 1686, d/ 1752. (da of Joseph (2) and Thomas (1) Dutton)

DANIEL GATES (son of George and Sarah (Olmstead) Gates) b. 4 March 1680 East Haddam, d. 24 Nov. 1761 East Haddam, Conn.

Married 1705

REBECCA DUTTON (da of Joseph (2), Thomas (1) Dutton)
b. 18 Aug. 1686, d. 1752

Children

1. Joseph, b. 7 Sept. 1716
11. Mary, b. 29 Mar. 1719
111. Ruth, b. 10 Aug. 1721, m. 1745, Isaac Ackley
- 1V. Judah, b. 172- (?) d. 25 June 1769, m. (1) 19 Jan. 1748,
Lydia Hurd, m (2) Abigail Hurd. She m (2)
Joshua Brainard. She m (3) Isaac Ackley as his
2nd wife. She d. 18 June, 1793, East Haddam, Conn.

RUTH GATES (da of Daniel and Rebecca (Dutton) Gates),
b. 10 Aug. 1721, d. 25 Dec. 1789

Married, 1745, at East Haddam. Cohn.

ISAAC ACKLEY (son of Samuel and Bethia Ackley) b. 6 Oct. 1721,
d. 17 Dec. 1798 at East Haddam, Conn.
m (2) Abigail Hurd as her third husband. She
had been married (1st) to Judah Gates, (2nd) to
Joshua Brainard.

See ACKLEY Line.

JAMES OLMSTEAD (son of James and Jane (Bristow) Olmstead) born at Greight Leigh, Essec Co., England, died Sept. or Oct. 1640, Hartford, Conn., and buried in Center Churchyard Cemetery, Hartford.

Married at Greight Leigh, England, before 1611

JOYCE CORNISH

James Olmstead, the immigrant, with his wife and son Nicholas, came to America prior to 1632, leaving their daughter Rebecca in England. The records state that "Rebecca came in 1632". They settled in Hartford, Conn. We know that he had at least the two children, Nicholas and Rebecca, and our line is brought down through both of these children.

Children

1. Nicholas, Christened 15 Feb. 1612, Fairsted, Essex Co., England, d. 31 Aug. 1684
11. Rebecca, b. _____ England, d. 24 Dec. 1698, Farmington, Connecticut. Married Thomas Newell

Capt. NICHOLAS OLMSTEAD (son of James and Joyce (Cornish) Olmstead) Christened 15 Feb. 1612, Fairsted, Essec Co., England, d. 31 Aug. 1684 presumably Hartford, Conn.

Married 28 Sept. 1640, Hartford, Conn.

SARAH LOOMIS (da. of Joseph and Mary (White) Loomis) b. England 1617, died about 1667.

Married (2) Widow Hannah Lord

Married (3) Hannah Thurston

Capt. Nicholas and his wife Sarah settled in Hartford, Conn. He was appointed Captain in King Philips War. When he died his estate totaled £ 421-08-00, a large sum of those times. No further information about their life has been traced.

George Gates, born in England, came to Hartford in 1654, when he was twenty years of age, to live with Nicholas and Sarah Olmstead.. Whether he was a relation, or just a friend, has not been traced. Six years later, he married their daughter, Sarah, - which line not only produced our ancestors; but also Charles G. Dawes, Vice-President of the United States.

Children (presumed to be other)

1. Sarah, b. Hartford, Conn. abt. 1647, d. 7 Nov. 1709 East Haddam, Conn., m. George Gates.

SARAH OLMSTEAD (da. of Nicholas and Sarah (Loomis) Olmstead) b. Hartford, Conn., about 1647, d. 7 Nov. 1709 East Haddam, Conn.

Married, 1660

GEORGE GATES (son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Woodan) Gates) born in England, 1634, d. 12 Nov. 1724, East Haddam, Connecticut.

See GATES Line

JOSEPH LOOMIS (son of John and Agnes (Longwood) Loomis) born in England, 1590, died in Windsor, Conn., 1658.

Married in England

MARY WHITE (da of Robert and Bridget (Algar) White)

Joseph Loomis, probably his wife, his son Samuel, then about ten years old, his daughter Mary and Mary's husband, John Skinner, their baby daughter, and Joseph's other daughter, Sarah, came to America, and landed in Hartford, in the year 1639. Sarah married in Hartford the following year, and Mary and her husband John Skinner, migrated to Windsor, Connecticut soon after they arrived in America. Joseph died in Windsor, but it has not been traced when he left Hartford.

Children, all born in England.

- I. Samuel b about 1628, d. 1 Oct. 1689, Westfield, Mass.,
m. 27 Dec. 1658, Elizabeth Judd. They had a son
William, b. 18 Mar. 1672.
- II. Mary, b _____ m/ 1636 England, John Skinner
- III. Sarah, b. 1617, m. 28 Sept. 1640, Nicholas Olmstead.

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Married 28 Sept. 1640, Hartford, Conn.

NICHOLAS OLMSTEAD (son of James and Joyce (Cornish) Olmstead)
Christened 15 Feb. 1612, Fairsted, Essex Co.
England

It is not known whether Sarah and Nicholas knew each other in Essex County, England, where they were both born, but it was only a year after Sarah had come to America, when they were married.

See OLMSTEAD LINE

JOHN NORTH, the pioneer, was born in England, 1615.

Married, between 1635 and 1640

HANNAH BIRD (da. of Thomas Bird of Farmington, Conn.)

In the "History of Berlin, Connecticut", by Catherine N. North, Pages 26 to 54, it states that in the year 1635, John North, at the age of 20, sailed from London on the "Susan and Ellen" and landed in Boston. He married shortly after he arrived in America a girl whose family came from Connecticut, but it is believed that John North and his wife did not move to Connecticut until 1653, when land was entered to him in Farmington. He was one of the 84 original proprietors among whom the unoccupied lands of the town were divided in 1672. His house lot of 3/4 acre, purchased from John Steele was near the north end of Farmington Street. It is now (1916) occupied by two houses, one recently owned by Sarah Shiels, and the other by Dorothy Palmer. John North and his wife Hannah, were members of the Farmington Church. She joined in 1656.

Children

- I. Johnb. probably Ipswich, Mass. Nov. 1641, d. Wethersfield 1682
- II. Samuel, b. " 1643 d. " "
- III. Mary, b. (a twin) 1643 d. 1726
- IV. James, b. 1647, d. Northampton, Mass. 25 July 1689
- V. Thomas, b. 1649, d. 1712
- VI. Sarah, b. 1653, Bapt. Farmington, Conn. 18 Dec. 1653, m. W idower Mathew Woodruff, Jr. She d. Jan. 1691-2 .
- VII. Nathaniel, b. and bapt. Farmington, 18 Dec. 1653, d. 13 Nov. 1758, m. 1709 Thankful Wright. Was a soldier King Phillips War.
- VIII. Lydia, b. and bapt. at Farmington, 9 May 1658
- IX. Joseph, bapt. Farmington, 18 Mar. 1659, d. abt. Jan. 1730- 1 Married before 3 Jan. 1686-7 Martha Porter.

THOMAS NORTH (son of John and Hannah (Bird) North) was born in 1649 Farmington, Conn. d. 1712, Northington (now Avon) aged 63

Married, 1669

HANNAH NEWELL (da. of Thomas and Rebecca (Olmstead) Newell)

She was b. 1656, bapt. 14 Apr. 1658, and d. 4 Nov. 1757. (If her dates are correctly given, she was married at age 13, mother of two sons at 17, and lived to be 101 years of age.

Thomas North, after the birth of his first two sons, enlisted under Captain Hinchman, in King Phillips War. He was stationed with the Connecticut troops in the vicinity of Boston in 1675, and was the garrison of Hadley, Mass., in the summer of 1676. He received a grant of land for his service.

On the Court Records, we find "On April 6, 1713, This Court appointed Hannah North of Farmington, guardian of her two daughters Lydia and Sarah, both minors under 14 years, and also allowed

the said Hannah North, to be guardian of her son Ebenezer North, 14 years of age. Joseph North, also a minor, chose Thomas North to be his guardian."

Children

- I. John b. _____ d. 2 Feb. 1709-10, m. 19 Mar. 1707-8
Jane Stebbins of Wethersfield
- II. Thomas, b. 1673, d. 2 Mar. 1724-5
- III. Hannah, b. _____ m. 10 May 1706 Samuel Seymore
- IV. Nathaniel, b. 1688, d. 5 Apr. 1777, m. 10 June 1708
Margaret Holcomb
- V. Mary, b. _____ m. 1709 William Enno, (son of James &
Abigail (Bissell) Enno, of Simsbury)
- VI. Joseph, b. 1693, bapt. 31 Dec. 1693, d. 20 Mar. 1781,
m. 18 July 1734 Martha (Denny) Smith
- VII. Rebecca, b. 1693, bapt. 31 Dec. 1693, (a twin), m. 27 Jan.
1713 Joseph Phelps, Jr.
- VIII. Lydia, bapt. Mar. 1696, d. 8 Aug. 1736, m. 6 Dec.
1714 Samuel Humphrey of Simsbury.
- IX. Sarah, b. 1696 (a twin) unm. was a minor over 14 in 1713
when her father's estate was settled.
- X. Ebenezer, b. 1703, d. 5 Aug. 1789

THOMAS NORTH (son of Thomas and Hannah (newell) North) b. 1673,
Records give it at Kensington, others at
Farmington. We know that he lived near the
Seymour Stockade and not far from the church.
He died at Christian Lane (now Berlin) 2 Mar. 1724-5

Married, 1 Dec. 1698

MARTHA ROYCE (da. of Isaac and Elizabeth (Lathrop) Royce)
b. 1 June 1679

Married (2) Mary Royce, a cousin of his first wife.
She m (2) 10 June 1730, Widower Mathey Woodruff .
She d. Northington, 23 Apr. 1763, nearly 100
years of age.

Thomas North was one of the pioneer settlers in Great Swamp,
where he owned much land, possibly a part of the grant made
to his father. By deed, dated 24 Jan. 1709, he conveyed to
William Burnham two parcels of land, one 18 acres, and one
22 acres, described as being in Great Swamp. He also deeded
land to Samuel Seamore, who married his sister Hannah.

When the church at Christian Lane was formed, Thomas North was
one of the "Seven Pillars" as the original members were called.
He was described as a man of wealth and influence. He died
when his youngest child was three years old.

Children

1. Martha, b. 30 June 1700, m. 6 Aug. 1719, Daniel Beckley
11. Isaac, b. 27 Sept. 1703, d. 20 Dec. 1788
111. Thomas, b. 27 Oct. 1705
- 1V. James, b. 17 Apr. 1709, d. 1758
- V. Sarah, b. 24 Feb. 1711, d. 3 Jan. 1777, m. 17 May 1727,
Joseph Woodford, Jr.
- VI. Samuel, b. 28 July 1715, d. 11 Apr. 1725
- VII. Joseph, b. 1720, d. 1737
- VII. Hannah, b. 17 Sept. 1722, d. 23 Feb. 1811, b. 1739
Timothy North (son of Thomas and Hannah (W oodford)
North)

THOMAS NORTH (son of Thomas and Martha (Royce) North) b. 27 Oct. 1705, Berlin, Conn., d. Little Nine Partners Grant (now included in towns of Pine Plains and Milan, Dutchess County, New York.

Married, about 1729

ELIZABETH JAMES, b. 17 Apr. 1711, Wethersfield, Conn.

Thomas North settled in Wethersfield, but in 1743 he removed to Sharon, where he lived for about ten years, and was one of the first proprietors of the iron works situated in the Hollow. He lived on the 26th home lot, known as Capt. Patchen's Place and later owned by Mr. Chase. The Connecticut Colonial Assembly elected him Ensign, and later Captain of the Train Band for the town of Sharon. In 1753 he went to the Western Wilderness of Dutchess County, New York, where were born his three youngest sons.

Children

1. Elizabeth, b. Wethersfield, Conn. 4 July 1731, m. 2 July 1752, Elkanah Fuller
11. Ruth, b. Wethersfield, 6 Nov. 1741
111. Thomas, b. Sharon, Conn. 3 Feb. 1745-6
- 1V. Daniel, b. abt. 1740 - 50, Dutchess County, New York
- V. Benjamin, b. Dutchess County, New York, -
Removed to Otsego County, New York.
- VI. Samuel, b. 20 Sept. 1751, d. 7 July 1820

SAMUEL NORTH (son of Thomas and Elizabeth (James) North) b. 20 September 1751, Little Nine Partners, Dutchess County, New York. He died 7 July 1820 at Marbletown, Ulster County, New York.

Married about 1770

ELIZABETH AVERY, b. 19 Apr. 1752, d. 18 Dec. 1828

Samuel North lived in his native village until sometime before the outbreak of the Revolution, by which time he had removed to Marbletown, Ulster County, New York, where he bought and cleared a farm, and from where he enlisted in the war (New York State Records). He was one of the Associators in Marbletown, Ulster County in June, 1775, and was sent to the Provincial Congress. He served during the American Revolution in the Ulster County 3rd Reg. under Capt. Depue, and received Land Bounty Rights.

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Samuel North was on the tax rolls of Marbletown and Olive Town in 1794. He was also listed as a Jury Man in 1803.

The parentage of his wife, Elizabeth Avery, has eluded us. It would be strange if she too is a descendant of Capt. James Avery.

Children

- I. Polly, b. 20 November 1772, m. Mr. Yerpenning
- II. John S. b. 13 Feb. 1775, d. 10 Apr. 1855
- III. Katy, b. 13 Feb. 1778, d. 1816, m. John Abbey
- IV. Benjamin, b. 1 Mar. 1779, d. 20 Oct. 1848, m. Hannah Mosher
- V. William, b. 9 Nov. 1782
- VI. Daniel, b. 13 Jan. 1785, d. 20 July 1851 Saline, Mich.
- VII. Rachel, b. 23 Oct. 1786, m. Samuel Hurd
- VIII. Samuel, Jr., b. 9 Sept. 1788, d. 5 Mar. 1841, Saline, Michigan. m. Maria Masten who d. 7 Mar. 1863 Hubbardston, Mich.
- IX. Sally, b. 1790-2
- X. Robert, b. 1790-2 (a twin)

BENJAMIN NORTH (son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Avery) North)
b. 1 March 1779, Marbletown, Ulster County, N.Y.
d. 20 Oct. 1848, Lodi, Washtenaw County, Michigan
Married, about 1802

HANNAH MOSHER (da of Zachariah and Sarah (Merrihew) Mosher)
b. 13 Aug. 1778 and d. 12 April 1865, Buried Lodi Mich.

Benjamin North lived at Olive, which was formed into a separate township from Marbletown on the 15th of April, 1823. In 1811 his name appears in the property assessments. During the War of 1812, he served in Capt. Louis Bevier's Company (U.S. Bureau of Pensions.) He removed to Lodi, Washtenaw County, Michigan, about 1840.

Children, all Born Ulster County, New York.

- I. Lewis, b. 14 Nov. 1804, d. 22 May 1882, Lodi, Mich. m. 1823 Eliza Terbush
- II. Zachariah Mosher, b. 11 Oct. 1806, d. 16 Nov. 1881, Roundout, N.Y., m. 1830 his cousin, Lucy Abbey (da of John and Catherine (North) Abbey) (Katy)
- III. Sally, b. 1807 c. 10 Nov. 1870, m. John Ferguson (children, Carrie, and Granville)
- IV. George, b. 4 July 1808, d. 1871 Poughkeepsie, N.Y. m. Sarah
- V. James, b. 21 Sept. 1810, d. abt. 1850 near Ann Arbor, Mich.
- VI. Daniel, b. 28 June, 1812, d. 7 Nov. 1880 Saline, Mich. m. 1831 Lucinda Webster (she m (2) Mr. Peck. They had a daughter who married a North)
- VII. Eliza, b. 23 Dec. 1814, d. 6 Jan. 1906, Ann Arbor, Mich., m. 1840 J. Clement Smith (their children, Channing Marion, Irving, and Florence)
- VIII. William, b. 6 Apr. 1817, d. 9 Mch. 1900, Cleveland, Ohio.
- IX. Catherine, b. 19 May 1819, d. 4 Oct. 1882, Ann Arbor, Mich.

CATHERINE NORTH (da of Benjamin and Hannah (Mosher) North)
 b. 19 May, 1819 at Clive, Ulster County, New York,
 d. 4 Oct. 1882, Ann Arbor, Michigan
 Married (1) 9 Mch. 1842, John W. Watkins, Lodi, Mich.
 Married (2) 10 Sept. 1850 by Rev. Eli Graves
 CHARLES TRACY WILMOT, (son of Benjamin T racy and Rhoda (Saxton)
 W ilmot) b. 13 June 1816, Paris Hills, Oneida
 County, New York, d. 10 July, 1881 at Green
 Springs, Ohio, Buried, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Catherine North's daughter, Alta, wrote the following account of her remembrances.

" Mother's brother, Lewis, was the first of the family to go "W est" to Michigan. He was fifteen years older than mother, and he was probably established at Lodi, about six miles from Ann Arbor, when she came on. She went part way by canal boat, and attempted to go on the lake at Buffalo, but there was too much ice, and so she had to travel the rest of the way by stage coach. If there was ice on Lake Erie, it must have been a cold trip. When she got to Ann Arbor, she was taken with the measles. Her mother and father and her sister Eliza, and perhaps her brother William made the trip together. They stayed at the Cook Hotel, until they found a home at Lodi P laines. I remember the old brown Country Inn, which some way possessed a great charm for me, owing partly perhaps to the gong which was used to announce the meals. Mother and Aunt Eliza were young ladies, and from what mother has told me, they must have been quite the belles of Lodi. Mother's cousin Carrie Ferguson who had been educated at Abbots School in New York came W est to be with mother and Eliza."

W hen Catherine North married Charles W ilmot, Eliza, who had married J. Clement Smith, purchased some of the property adjacent to the Wilmot residence, and Eliza's children and Catherine's children grew up together and were life-long friends. W hen Alta Wilmot was gathering data for the North genealogy, she wrote to Marion Smith, Eliza's daughter, who was still living in Ann Arbor in her mother's home, asking for information about Eliza. Marion replied that the subject was "too painful to go into", - and nothing in any of the old letters gave a clue as to why the subject was "painful". Eliza lived to be 92 years of age.

Catherine North was considered a beautiful woman, and a miniature, painted by her daughter Alta, a famous New York miniature painter, now (1960) in the possession of her granddaughter, Catherine Hall Cronin, bears this out, as do numerous photographs. When Catherine North married our grandfather, according to legend handed down to us, the people of Ann Arbor, said to our grandfather, "How could such a homely man as you have the courage to ask such a beautiful woman as Catherine North to be your wife". She only lived a year after her husband's death, and according to a note in the bible record, she died of "creeping paralysis".

See WILMOT LINE

THOMAS NEWELL b. in England, died, Sept. 13, 1689, Farmington, Conn.

Married in America

REBECKAH OLMSTEAD (sister of John and Richard, and a niece of the first James of Hartford, - or a daughter of James) born in England, and died 24 Feb. 1690

Thomas Newell was the first of the name to settle in Farmington, whither he had come from Hartford in its early settlement. It is said that he was born in Herefordshire, England. He appears in Farmington among the original settlers about 1640. In the church records, he is enrolled a member Feb. 7, 1653, and his wife July 12, 1663. In 1669, Thomas Newell's name appears in the list of Freemen; in 1672 on the list of the "84 Proprietors"; and in 1673, he was one of the preliminary committee who went to view Mattatuck (now Waterbury) as a place for a settlement. That same year, he was one of the petitioners "for liberty of planting ye same". Subsequently, he signed the articles, taking the place of Samuel Gridley (who for some reason could not sign). However, Thomas declined joining the new settlement.

The early records of Farmington having been destroyed by fire, it has been impossible to trace the relationship of brother, to Abraham, who settled in Roxbury, Mass., in 1634, - which many claim.

His house was just at the north part of the village, fronting the Main Street, showing much taste in the selection of the building site. Tradition says an Indian Fort was located back of the lot. He died without leaving a will. The distribution of the estate was made at Hartford, Nov. 8, 1689, signed by his wife, Rebeckah Newell, John Newell, Samuel Newell, John Stanley and Thomas North. His estate consisted of a long list of personal effects, and £ 700. The ages of the children, when their father died were John 42, Thomas 39, Samuel 28, Rebeckah Woodford 46, Mary Bascome 44, Hester Stanley 37, Sarah Smith 34, and Hannah North 31. Martha and Joseph were not listed and so presumed deceased.

Children - all born in Farmington, Conn.

- I. Rebeckah, b. Jan. 1643, m. Joseph Woodford, had 3 children and moved to Northfield, Mass. in 1667
- II. Mary, b. March 1645, m. Thomas Bascome of Northampton, Mass.
- III. John, b. Jan. 1647
- IV. Thomas, b. 2 March 1650, m. 5 Nov. 1679 Elizabeth Wrotham. He d. 25 Oct. 1733. She d. 8 Jan. 1700.
- V. Hester, b. July 1652, m. 1679 John Stanley of Waterbury
- VI. Sarah, bapt. 18 Feb. 1654-5, m. Arthur Smith
- VII. Martha, bapt. 14 Apr. 1658
- VIII. Hannah (a twin) bapt. 14 Apr. 1658, m. Thomas North.
- IX. Samuel, bapt. 5 Dec. 1660, m. 1685 Mary Hart
- X. Joseph, bapt. 20 Apr. 1664.

HANNAH NEWELL (da of Thomas and Rebeckah (Olmstead) Newell)
bapt. 14 Apr. 1658 Farmington, Conn.,
d. 4 Nov. 1757

Married in 1669

THOMAS NORTH (son of John and Hannah (Bird) North, b. 1649
Farmington, Conn., d. 1712 Northington, Conn.

Hannah Newell was a twin with Martha, who was not living in 1668 when their father died. She married Thomas North who was a soldier in the Indian Wars, and had a soldier's grant of land. They were pioneers in the settlement of Northington (now Avon) and lived on the east side of the river, under the mountain, north of the Talcott Mountain Turnpike. They united with the church in 1691. She lived to be 99 years of age.

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REBECCA OLMSTEAD (da of James and Joyce (Cornish) Olmstead)
b. _____ England, d. 24 Dec. 1698

Married 1642 or 1643

THOMAS NEWELL, of Farmington, Conn., b. _____ d/ 13 Sept. 1689

One Geneologist states:

"Rebecca Olmstead's parents in England are not given, but that she is a sister of a John and Richard Olmstead, and a NIECE of the first James Olmstead of Hartford, with whom she came to Boston, arriving 16 September, 1632, just six years after the settlement of Connecticut by the English."

Rebecca was remembered in the legacy of Doctor John Olmstead's widow, who was left wealthy, - which would lead one to believe that Rebecca was the niece of James, rather than the daughter.

If this is so, our line would not come doubly from James, but from both James and James's brother (name not given).

See NEWELL Line

ROBERT ROYCE, born Sommersetshire, England 1605, d. 1676 at
New London, Connecticut

Married 4 June 1624, England

MARY SIMS, born in England about 1609, d. Wallingford, Conn. 1696.

Robert Royce, with his wife Mary, came to America on the ship "Francis" from Ipswich, in 1634. They had been married ten years, but no mention is made that they brought any children with them. His name is found in the records of Stratford Connecticut in 1644 and in New London in 1657. You will note that he died in New London in 1676 and that his wife lived twenty years after his death. She died in Wallingford, Conn., but no record has been found that she married again. Our line is brought down through two of the sons, who married sisters, - Nathaniel who married Sara Lathrop and Isaac who married Elizabeth, - Nathaniel to the Hall Line and Isaac to the North.

Children

- I. Joshua, b. 14 Apr. 1637
- II. Nathaniel, bapt. 24 Mar. 1639, d. 8 Feb. 1736, m. Sara Lathrop
- III. Patience, b. 1 Apr. 1642, d. Apr. 1642
- IV. Ruth, b. _____ m. 15 Dec. 1669, John Lathrop who was bapt. 7 Dec. 1645
- V. Sarah, b. 1634, d. 1 May 1711, m. 1657 John Caulkins. He d. 3 Jan. 1702
- VI. Nehemiah, b. 1634, Boston, Mass. d. 7 Nov. 1706, Wallingford, Conn., m (1) Hannah Morgan, m(2) Esther
- VII. Samuel, b. 1640 m. 1 Jan. 1667, Hannah Church
- VIII. Isaac, bapt. 1648, m. Elizabeth Lathrop
- IX. Jonathan, b. _____ d. 1690 Norwich, m. Debora Caulkins.

ISAAC ROYCE (son of Robert and Mary (Sims) Royce) bapt. 1648
probably in Stratford, Conn.

Married, 15 Dec. 1663

ELIZABETH LATHROP, (da of Samuel and Elizabeth (Scudder) Lathrop)
b. March 1648

Children, and probably others

- I. Elizabeth, b. 1669, d. 2 May 1760, aged 91 years,
m. 1 Oct. 1690, Stephen Lee, b. 1669
- II. Martha, b. 1 June 1679, m. 1 Dec. 1698, Thomas North

MARTHA ROYCE (da of Isaac and Elizabeth (Lathrop) Royce) b. 1 June 1679

Married, 1 Dec. 1698

THOMAS NORTH (son of Thomas and Hannah (Newell) North) b. 1673
d. 2 Mar. 1724-5

See NORTH Line

Rev. JOHN LATHROP (Lothrop, Lothrop, Lowthoppe) (son of Thomas and his second wife Mary (?) Lowthoppe)
 bapt. 20 Dec. 1584, Eton, Yorkshire, England,
 d. 8 Nov. 1653, prob. Barnstable, Mass.

Married in England

Rev. John Lathrop was educated at Queen's College, Cambridge, receiving his B.A. in 1605 and M.A. in 1609. He was Curate at Edgerton (Parish Church) Lathe of Scray, County Kent. Later he was pastor of the first Independent Church of England. On the 22nd of April, 1632, he, with others of this church were arrested and imprisoned in the Old Clink Prison, Newgate. In 1635, he with his wife and child, and several of his parishoners, sailed for America on the "Griffin" to Boston. He was the "First Minister" of Scituate, Mass., and later at Barnstable, Mass. He evidently was an advocate of freedom in religion. We do not know whether he found it in America, as no account has been found of his life here.

Children:

1. Samuel, born about 1620, England.

SAMUEL LATHROP (son of Rev. John Lathrop) born about 1620, England,
 d. 1701, New London, Conn.

Married, 28 Nov. 1644, Barnstable, Mass.,

ELIZABETH SCUDDER (da. of Thomas and Rachel, or Elizabeth Scudder). She died before 1690.

Married (2) in 1690, Abigail Doone, b. 1622, d. 1734.

Samuel came to America when he was about 15 years of age, with his father and mother, and was raised in Scituate, Mass., and then Barnstable, where he married. Three of his children married children of Robert Royce, who lived in New London, so we can safely assume that Samuel moved to New London, Connecticut in the 1650s. We know that he died there in 1701. What his occupation or education has not been recorded.

Children:

- I. John, Bapt. 7 Dec. 1645, m. Ruth Royce
- II. Elizabeth, b. Mar. 1648, m. 15 Dec. 1669, Isaac Royce.
- III. Samuel, b. 1650
- IV. Sarah, b. Oct. 1655, m. 21 Apr. 1681, Ensign Nathaniel Royce
- V. Martha, b. Jan. 1657
- VI. Isreal
- VII. Joseph, b. Oct. 1661
- VIII. Abigail, b. May 1665
- IX. Ann, b. 7 Aug. 1667.

ELIZABETH LATHROP (da of Samuel and Elizabeth (Scudder) Lathrop)
b. Mar. 1648

Married, 15 Dec. 1669, New London, Conn.

ISAAC ROYCE (son of Robert and Mary (Sims) Royce) bapt. 1648

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Ensign HUGH MOSHER (son of Stephen Mosher) was born in England,
and died in 1666

Married
LYDIA MAXSON (da of Richard Maxson)

Hugh Mosher was the son of a London, England, Merchant. He came to New England on the ship "Jane" in the year 1632. In 1636 he had land on the Saco River, Maine, - in 1646 he was in Falmouth, - and in 1660 he was in Newport, R.I. His will was proved in Casco Maine, on the 26th of September, 1666.

Children

- I. James, b. 1638
- II. John, b. 1640
- III. Mary, b. 1641, d. 1718, m. Rev. John Maxson (b.1639, d. 1720)
- IV. Hugh, b. 1633
- V. Nicholas
- VI. Joseph
- VII. Daniel.

Rev. HUGH MOSHER (son of Ensign Hugh and Lydia (Maxson) Mosher)
b. Providence, R.I. 1633, d. 3 Nov. 1713, Dartmouth

Massachusetts

Married, about 1663

REBECCA MAXSON (da. of Richard and Sarah Maxson). She was known as "Rebecca Harndell" because her mother, after the death of Richard Maxson, married John Harndell. and they brought up the daughter, calling her "Rebecca Harndell"

Married (2) Widow Sarah (Butcher) Harding.

Rev. Hugh Mosher, in 1666 bought land from the Indians, which, later, became part of Westerly, R.I. He was ordained a Baptist preacher in Dartmouth in 1684. In Portsmouth, in 1684, he was listed as "Blacksmith". On May 28, 1713, he sold property in Dartmouth to his daughter and her husband. Rev. Hugh Mosher's will was proved in Newport, R.I., on 7 Dec. 1713.

Children

- I. Nicholas, b. 1666, d. 1747, m. 14 Aug. 1687, Elizabeth Audley
- II. John, b. 1668, d. Aug. 1739, m. 5 Mar. 1692, Experience Kirby (da of Richard and Patience Kirby)
- III. Joseph, b. 1670, d. 1754, m. 1695, Lydia Tabor (da of Phillip and Mary (Cooke) Tabor) b. 28 Sept. 1673 d. 1742 (a Mayflower desc.)
- IV. Mary, b. 1679, m. 19 May 1691, Joseph Rathbone, b. 1670 (son of John and Margaret Rathbone)
- V. James, b. 1675, lived in New Shoreham, R.I., New London Conn., and Dartmouth. m. 5-9 July, 1704, New Shoreham, R.I., Catherine Tosh (da of Daniel and Marjorie (Acres) Toch). Married (2)

26 May 1714, Mary Duval (da of Jonathan and Hannah (Audley) Duval).

- VI. Hannah, b. _____ m. Stephen Cornell, b. 1656.
- VII. Daniel, b. 1678, d. 1751, m. 1704 Elizabeth Edwards
- VIII. Rebecca, b. 1677, m. before 1713, John Kirby (son of Richard Kirby).

Capt. NICHOLAS MOSHER (son of Rev. Hugh and Rebecca (Maxson) Mosher) b. 1666, d. 14 Aug. 1747, Dartmouth, Mass.
 Married, 14 Aug. 1687
 ELIZABETH AUDLEY

Why Nicholas was given the title of "Captain" has not been discovered. A search of the records of King Phillip's War might be the answer, - or he may have been a sea captain. A record of his being in Tiverton, R.I. has been found, as well as at Dartmouth, Mass. He left a will, leaving everything he had to his wife as long as she lived. Then the property was to be divided between the four sons, five daughters and one granddaughter, Sarah Pope. The inventory consisted of first, - books (which were considered most valuable), pewter, two beds, wheels, 2 cows, swine, a warming pan, stillyards, and bonds. The parentage of his wife has not been found, - nor her birth and death dates.

Children

- 1. Hugh, b. 16 Nov. 1690, m. 25 Apr. 1717, Sarah Davol.
- II. Joseph, b. 7 Apr. 1692, m. 23 Oct. 1718, Mehitable Smith
- III. Mary, b. 16 Dec. 1695, m. _____ Allen
- IV. Elizabeth, b. 16 Apr. 1697, m. 1728 Benoni Tripp
 (son of Peleg and Elizabeth (Cornell) Tripp)
- V. Thomas, b. 26 Feb. 1699, m. 9 Feb. 1726, Hannah Davol
 (da of Joseph and Mary (Soule) Davol)
- VI. Nicholas, b. 17 Jan. 1703, m. (1) Dorothy Potter,
 m (2) 1729, Rebecca Wilcox. 1711, (da of John and Rebecca Wilcox)
- VII. Mercy, b. 6 July, 1705, m. Caleb Shrieve
- VIII. Rebecca, b. 2 Mch. 1708, m. John Wilcox Jr. (son of John and Rebecca Wilcox)
- IX. Ephraim, b. 5 Mch. 1710, m. Eunice Raiment (had 6 children)
- X. Margaret, b. 17 Jan. 1713, m. William Tabor.

HUGH MOSHER (son of Capt. Nicholas and Elizabeth (Audley) Mosher), b. 16 Nov. 1690, d. Dartmouth, Mass.
 Married, 25 Apr. 1717
 SARAH DAVOL (da of Joseph and Mary Davol)

Nothing has been written of the life of High Mosher. The only record found was that he was a member of the Friends' Church at Dartmouth, Mass., a sect similar to the Quakers.

Children

1. Hugh, m. Tiverton, R.I. 16 Mar. 1746, Sarah Davol
(da. of Christopher Davol)
- II. Abner
- III. Adley
- IV. Sarah, m. Timothy Mosher
- V. Ephraim, b. 21 Sept. 1726, d. 28 May 1823, Dutchess
County, N.Y. (Quaker)
- VI. Mary
- VII. Hannah
- VIII. Barbara
- IX. Phebe

EPHRAIM MOSHER (son of Hugh and Sarah (Davol) Mosher) b. 21 Sept. 1726 at Dartmouth Mass., or Tiverton, R.I.
d. 1 May 1823, Washington Township, Dutchess
County, N.Y., as recorded in "Nine Partners
Monthly Meeting" Dutchess County, N.Y.

Married, about 1750

ELIZABETH STORY

Ephraim Mosher was in Dutchess County by 12 Nov. 1751, when he recorded his "ear mark" as published in a newspaper at Poughkeepsie (now in a collection of the Dutchess County Historical Society) as follows, -

"12 Nov. 1751, Dutchess Co., N.Y., Ephraim Mosher recorded his Ear Mark Brand, - a slit under the right ear, a half-penny the foreside of the same ear, and a halfpenny under the left ear."

The paper also gave notice of his death, -

"11 June, 1823, Ephraim Mosher died, age 96 years and 8 months, Washington Township"

The will of Ephraim Mosher was proved 11 June, 1823. According to the Quaker records, he died the first or the twenty first of May, 1823 "Nine Partners" M.M. Dutchess County, New York. (This is probably the correct date of the death, - the newspaper taking the date the will was proved). It is strange that in his will, he names only three sons, Zachariah, Benjamin, and Joseph. It may be that the others had died prior to 1823.

Children

1. Stephen, b. 22 Feb. 1752, died young (before 1757)
- II. Ephraim, Jr., b. 1 Aug. 1753, (living 1790 Washington
Township, Dutchess Co. N.Y.)
- III. Zachariah, b. 21 Apr. 1755, m. 19 May, 1776, Sarah
Merrihew, m (2) Anne _____
- IV. Stephen, b. 22 Feb. 1757, m. 20 Sept. 1782 Susannah
Wilbur
- V. Sarah, b. 7 June 1759
- VI. Absolom, b. 15 Aug. 1761
- VII. Eliza, b. 26 Sept. 1763
- VIII. Mary, b. 17 Mar. 1766, d. 25 Apr. 1842, m. Wesson
Macomber.

- IX. Phebe, b. 31 Mar. 1768
- X. Benjamin, b. 10 Sept. 1770
- XI. Joseph, b. 2 Mar. 1773 (living in 1819 and probably in 1823)
- XII. Peter, b. 23 Dec. 1774

ZACHARIAH MOSHER (son of Ephraim and Elizabeth (Story) Mosher)
 b. 21 Apr. 1755, Dutchess Co., N.Y. His will
 probated 15 Mar. 1827
 Married, 19 May 1776 in First Standord (Baptist) Church
 at Bangall, Dutchess Co. N.Y.

SARAH MERRIHEW, b. 5 Jan. 1760
 Married (2) Anne *****

Zachariah Mosher, although married in the Baptist Church, remained a Quaker and was therefore not a participant of the Revolutionary War. He was present at the first town meeting of Stanford, and was made "Overseer of the Poor" in 1793. He was Supervisor of the Town of Stanford from 1797 to 1802. In "The History of Pine Plains" by Huntting, Vol 1, p 156 on the establishment of the "Northeast Society of Friends" in 1804, Zachariah Mosher's name was listed three times.

The will of Zachariah Mosher was dated 30 Oct. 1819, and probated 15 Mar. 1827. He mentions his wife "Anne" (his second wife) his granddaughter Mariah Story, daughter of Elizabeth who married Benjamin Story, his children Stephen, Hannah North, Amos, Elizabeth Story, Phebe Sutherland, Zachariah Jr., Hugh, Allen, and George. Since Stephen and Zachariah Jr., were deceased, their children inherited their portion.

Children

- I. Stephen, b. 30 Sept. 1776
- II. Hannah, b. 13 Aug. 1778, m. Benjamin North of Ulster Co., N.Y. (son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Avery) North)
- III. Phebe, b. 23 Dec. 1780, d. 20 Feb. 1826, Malto, Saratoga Co., N.Y., m. 20 Nov. 1800 Rev. Lewis Sutherland
- IV. Amos, b. 3 June 1783, d. 24 June 1844, m. Delilah Gifford 26 Feb. 1818. She d. 5 Feb. 1862 (da of Daniel and Deborah Gifford)
- V. Elizabeth, b. 10 Aug. 1786, d. 21 Feb. 1826 Malta Saratoga Co., N.Y. m. Benjamin Story. They had Mirah Story, mentioned in the will.
- VI. Hugh, b. 13 Sept. 1791
- VII. George, b. 9 July 1797
- VIII. Allen, b. _____ married and had children, predeceased his father.
- IX. Zachariah, Jr., b. _____ married and had children, predeceased his father.

HANNAH MOSHER, (da of Zachariah and Sarah (Merrihew) Mosher)
b. 13 Aug. 1778, d. 12 Apr. 1865 and buried
Lodi, Michigan.

Married about 1802

BENJAMIN NORTH (son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Avery) North)
b. 1 Mar. 1779, d. 20 Oct. 1848, buried Lodi, Mich

The following is a quotation from a letter written about 1920
by Alta E. Wilmot, a granddaughter of Benjamin and Hannah
North, from information she found old letters in her possession.

" Hannah Mosher belonged to a wealth family, who still have
members living in and around Poughkeepsie, New York.
Her wedding portion included a fine saddle horse with saddle,
worth \$50.00, a great deal in those days, and besides,
she had some cattle and sheep. In her wardrobe, she had so
many dimity gowns that her large family of nine children
had their best dresses made from them."

Hannah North kept records of her large family in her dearly
loved bible, showing how closely in touch she was with them.

See NORTH Line

WILLIAM DEVOL
Married

William Devol's name appears in Duxbury, Mass., in 1640, in Rehoboth in 1643, and in Plymouth in 1646 to 1650. No further trace has been found of him. We know that he had at least two sons, as follows,

Children

1. John, b. _____ d. _____ m. ? Kerley before 1683
when her father (William Kerley) died on
11 Jan. 1683
11. Jonathan, b. _____ d. _____ m. Hannah Audley

JONATHAN DEVOL (son of William Devol)
Married
HANNAH AUDLEY

Children

1. Mary, b. about 1690, m. 26 May 1714, James Mosher
11. Joseph, b. _____ d. 1726, Dartmouth

JOSEPH DEVOL (son of Jonathan and Hannah (Audley) Devol)
b. _____ d. 1726, Dartmouth

Married
MARY SOULE (da of Nathaniel and Rose (Thorn) Soule)

Children

1. Sarah, b. _____ m. 25 Apr. 1717, Hugh Mosher, b. 16 Nov. 1690.
11. Hannah, b. _____ m. 9 Feb. 1726, Thomas Mosher, b. 26 Feb. 1699.
111. Jonathan, b. 1711, d. 1782, m. 1738 P riscilla Allen,
b. 4 Feb. 1715. (da of Gideon and Anna (Buck) Alla)
- 1V. Christopher, b. _____ d. _____

SARAH DEVOL (da of Joseph and Mary (Soule) Devol) b. _____ d. _____
Married 25 Apr. 1717, Dartmouth
HUGH MOSHER (son of Capt. Nicholas and Elizabeth (Audley) Mosher)
b. 16 Nov. 1690, Dartmouth

Nothing is known of Sarah, but we know that her brother Jonathan migrated to Ohio and founded Marietta, Ohio. One of his sons, Gilbert became a Judge and died in 1821 at Waterford, Ohio. Another son, Silas, died in 1782 on a British prison ship. Sarah's other brother, Christopher, had a daughter Sarah, who married, 16 Mar. 1746, Hugh Mosher, son of our Hugh and Sarah (Devol) Mosher

See MOSHER Line

GEORGE SOULE "of the Mayflower" (son of John of Eckington)
born about 1600, England, d. January 1680
Duxbury, Mass.

Married, about 1622, or perhaps earlier
MARY BECKET, born in England, d. Duxbury, Mass. December
1676

George Soule came to America on the Mayflower, as a servant to E. Winslow. The only other record we have found is that "His wife, Mary, came on the ship by the name of Ann, in the year 1623". Whether they had been married for a number of years, and had children born in England, brought here by Mary, it has not been established. The dates are questionable.

Children

1. Mary, b. 1624, d. between 20 Apr. 1718 and 7 Mar. 1719-20
m. before 1665 John Peterson
- II. George, b. _____ d. about 1704, m. Deborah _____
- III. Zachariah, b. before 1627, d. 1663, m. Margaret Ford
- IV. John, b. 1632, d. 1707, m. (1) Rebecca Simmons, m. (2)
Esther (Nash) Sampson, (or Hester deLano) in 1679
- V. Elizabeth, b. before 1640, d. about 1700
- VI. Nathaniel, b. before 1638, d. before 12 Oct. 1699,
m. Rose Thorn
- VII. Susannah, b. _____ m. Francis West
- VIII. Benjamin, b. _____ died at age of 46
- IX. Patience, b. _____ d. 11 Mar. 1705, m. 1666 John Haskell

NATHANIEL SOULE (son of George and Mary (Becket) Soule) b. before
1638 (records state) England, died before
Oct. 12, 1699 America (prob. Dartmouth, Mass)

Married,
ROSE THORN, b. _____ d. after 10 Sept. 1702

Children (probably others)

1. Mary, b. _____ d. _____ m. Joseph Devol.

MARY SOULE (da of Nathaniel and Rose (Thorn) Soule)

Married
JOSEPH DEVOL (son of Jonathan and Hannah (Audley Devol) who
died 1724, Dartmouth, Mass.

See DEVOL Line.

DESCENDANTS

AVON STACY HALL
and
CARRIE I. (WILMOT) HALL

<u>1st Generation</u>	<u>2nd Generation</u>	<u>3rd Generation</u>
ARTHUR GILLESPIE HALL	Dr. Ralph Arthur Hall	Richard Foster Hall Stacy Wilmot Hall Virginia McKennie Hall
CHARLES HUBBARD HALL	Laura W. (Hall) Allen Nancy Joan Allen Marjorie W. (Hall) Patterson Paul Patterson, Jr. Stanley Bigelow Hall Charles Duke Hall Leslie Duke Hall Darcy Duke Hall	
AGNES WILMOT (HALL) ANDREWS	Wayne Hall Andrews Wayne Hall Andrews, Jr. Maurice Stacy Andrews Carol Margaret Andrews Laura Kathryn Andrews Julia Eileen Andrews	
CATHERINE NORTH (HALL) CRONIN		

Dr. RALPH ARTHUR HALL (son of Arthur and Edith (Graf) Hall)
b. 2 Aug. 1914, Wesley Hospital, Chicago, Ill.
Married, 27 June, 1942,
YSOBEL MARCELIA FOSTER, (da of Dr. Frank Lloyd and Ysobel
(McKennie) Foster) b. 11 March, 1919
Charlottesville, Virginia

Ralph Hall lived the first years of his life in Glen Ellyn, Ill. He travelled with his parents in Europe from 1921 to 1924. In 1928 he moved to New Jersey, living in Cranford and Westfield. He was in C.M.T.C., Fort Dix in 1931; a graduate of Cranford High School in 1933; entered the University of Michigan in 1934, majoring in Physics and while there, was a member of the Signal Corps of the R.O.T.C., receiving his B.S. Degree in 1937. He then decided upon Medicine as a career, and made up his pre-med courses at Michigan in 1938. In 1942 he was graduated from Syracuse University Medical School; was Extern at Crouse Irving Hospital in 1941, and entered a one year rotating Internship at this hospital in 1942. He volunteered for the Navy in June, 1940 and entered the service as a Lt. J.G. in 1942. He was sent to England, and on "D-Day" invasion, he went ashore on Omaha Beach (June 6, 1944). He was wounded the next day, and returned by stretcher to England. A few months later, he was sent to Bethesda, Md., to receive a course in Chest X-ray. He was then sent to Hawaii, after "V-J Day" as Lt. Senior Grade. Several months later, he was joined in Hawaii by his wife and son Richard. When he was released from the service, in 1946, they returned to Westfield, and Ralph entered private practice with Dr. Staub and Dr. Demarest. In 1948, he separated from that partnership, and opened an office in his home on East Broad Street. He was Treasurer and Recording Secretary of Alpha Kappa Kappa Medical Fraternity 1946-1947; President of "Trailside Museum Association, Inc." in 1957; and President of the Westfield Medical Society, 1958-1959.

Marcellia, his wife, has taken an active part in Ralph's profession, and has also been a great help to him in his interest in the Trailside Museum. Somehow, between the bringing up of their three children, and the Medical Profession, they both have found time for outside careers, his the museum, and hers a vocal career. She has studied at Carnegie Hall in the Floyd Worthington Studios; and is a graduate of Syracuse College of Fine Arts, receiving a degree of Bachelor of Music and Secondary Education, in 1941. She has appeared in numerous recitals, musical shows, and grand opera, and has given her time and talent freely to benefits for the Trailside Museum, the P.T.A. and other worthy organizations. She has sung "Tosca" in Andover, Mass., sponsored by the National

ARTHUR GILLESPIE HALL (son of Avon Stacy and Carrie (Wilmot) Hall) b. 14 Feb. 1888, Cadillac, Michigan.

Married, 18 Oct. 1913, Chicago, Ill.

EDITH GRAF (da. of Gottlieb and Johanna (Platz) Graf) b. 10 Oct. 1883, Seymour, Wisconsin.

Arthur was a graduate of Calumet High School, Chicago, and then entered Lewis Institute (now IITech). After two years there, he entered University of Michigan Engineering School, Ann Arbor, Michigan. A short time before graduation, in 1908, it was found that he was shy a small amount of credits, due to the change from one school to the other. As he had been promised a position with the Western Electric Company, he left the University without getting his degree. Twenty years later, he decided that a degree was important, and so he went back to the University, and received his diploma, having made up the credits.

As stated above, he went right from college into the Hawthorn Works, of the Western Electric. A year or so later, he decided to leave and "go west" with a friend, to take up a Homestead in Wyoming. This turned out to be fifty miles from a railroad, and in a wilderness. They built a cabin, and planted "crops", but in less than the two years required for title, they gave up their claim. He returned to the Western Electric, where he remained, at the Hawthorn Works and at the New Jersey Plant, until his retirement. After World War 1, he was sent, by the company, to Europe to supervise the construction of cable, in Holland, Switzerland, and Italy.

Arthur and his wife are living at 533 Boulevard, Westfield, N.J. in one of the early Westfield homes, a beautiful early American house, three floors of large rooms. They occupy the first floor, when they are not in Florida for the winter, or in their cabin at Highland Lake, N.J. in the summer. His hobbies are fishing and Philately. Arthur's wife, Edith, has become a very successful artist and teacher of art, having a large number of students coming to her studio. She has won many prizes in regional shows, and has had a number of "One-Man Shows" in important galleries. She is listed in "Who is Who of American Women" as an educator of art; in "Who is Who in the East" and "Who is Who of New Jersey Artists".

On most Sundays, after church, their son, and son's family, are to be found with Arthur and Edith, where the children enter into discussions concerning atoms, the melting point of rubies, the Civil War, and any other subject that might come up. (The writer was there one Sunday, and for once was speechless).

Children

1. Ralph Arthur, b. 2 Aug. 1914, Chicago, Ill.

Association of Teachers of Singing, - under Deside Defrere, She has also sung for the National Association of American Composers and Conductors, at the Phillips Gallery and the Cosmos Club, both in Washington, D.C. She was "Rosalinda" in "Die Fledermaus" and had lead roles in the Gilbert and Sullivan operettas for the Westfield Community Players, appearing with them also in "Oklahoma". She is the soloist in the First Congregational Church of Westfield. She is a member of the D.A.R. thru her mother's line, her Revolutionary War ancestor being David Rodes, born Louisa County, Virginia in 1727, serving as sheriff of Albemarle County, 1776-1777, and who died in Albemarle County, Virginia in 1794, - all as noted in "Woods History of Albemarle County" (page 379).

Children

1. Richard Foster, b. 19 Oct. 1943, Syracuse, N.Y.
11. Stacy Wilmot, b. 5 June, 1947, Summit, N.J.
111. Virginia McKennie, b. 10 May, 1952, Summit, N.J.

CHARLES HUBBARD HALL (son of Avon Stacy and Carrie (Wilmot) Hall) b. 21 Oct. 1889, Morgan Park, Ill., died 6 Jan. 1928, Rochester, Minn., buried Mt. Hope Cemetery, Chicago, Ill.

Married, 7th Sept. 1912, Decatur, Michigan
NORA ELIZABETH WALBRIDGE (da of Corwin Henry and Cora M. (Jones) Walbridge), b. 2 Feb. 1889, Cisco, Texas.
She m (2)

Charles Hubbard Hall was a graduate of Calumet High School, Chicago, and of the University of Michigan, Class of 1911. He was on the Varsity Track Team for three years, as the half-mile runner, and one of the Relay Team. He was a member of the "Michigamua" and the "Druids", both Senior Honor Societies.

In 1911 on receiving his degree, he took a position with the U.S. Forestry Service, at Kalispell, Montana, surveying and planning the beginning of Glacier National Park. When that work was completed in October, he went to Caldwell, Idaho, with the U.S. Reclamation Service. In September, 1912, he returned to Chicago, on leave, and was married to his sweetheart of high school days. After their wedding, they returned to his work in Idaho, - inspecting the construction of a huge concrete pipe line to carry irrigation water to high land. Here they lived an exciting construction camp life, and it was here that their first child, Laura was born.

In the spring of 1916, he accepted a position with the U.S. Alaskan Engineering Commission, which was to build the Alaskan Railroad. He left on a day's notice, alone, for Seattle and the Alaskan interior at Nenana, 70 miles south of Fairbanks. After selling, storing, or packing their household goods, his wife and 20 months old daughter returned to Chicago and Michigan, for a visit with her parents, before joining her husband in Alaska. The trip by rail from Idaho, to Michigan, back to the Pacific Coast, by steamship to Alaska, and by smaller ships up the river to the interior, - with a two year old daughter, - was as adventuresome as Charles' trip four months previous, via dog sleds to the interior. However, they found life in Alaska interesting and thrilling. They had a comfortable log house in the city and a number of congenial friends. Their first winter, it was unusually cold, the temperature registering 60° below almost constantly, with little snow. The second winter was much milder, but with several feet of snow, causing heavy floods in the spring. The flooded rivers changed their courses, and wiped out large sections of the newly completed railroad construction.

When the United States entered World War 1, Charles wanted to enlist, - but the Government would not release him from his contract in Alaska, due to expire in 1918. When the last boat, able to get down the river before the river was frozen over, left Nenana in October 1918, it carried Nora Hall and the daughter, Laura, - Charlie having to remain behind to await the

new man to fill his place. The trip, for Nora, by steamer on the river to the coast, took three weeks, then over the White Pass Mountains by train, and then by the Ocean Steamship from Skagway to Vancouver. When she and Laura arrived in Skagway, they had reservations on the ship "Princess Sophia", but at the last moment, their passage was changed to a ship which would leave two days earlier, - a ship which had been sent up to Skagway to relieve the congestion of 10,000 people who had come out from the interior in the last week of navigation on the river. Perhaps it was Fate, but certainly our good fortune, that Nora and Laura were to live and arrive in Vancouver, - as the "Princess Sophia" sank, with all 600 passengers, - no one was saved. It was a couple of weeks before her husband in Alaska, or her family in Michigan, knew that there had been a change in the ship reservations, and that they were not on the "Princess Sophia". Charlie came out in the spring of 1919, after helping the new man from Washington with the details of his work. By that time, peace had been declared, and it was too late to enlist.

Upon the reunion of the family in Chicago, they bought their home at 9606 Vanderpoel Avenue, Charles having obtained a position with the Union Special Machine Corporation. He entered their employ in 1919 as Cost Accountant, and rose to the position of Controller of the Union Special Machine Corporation of America, a subsidiary of the Illinois Company, - and then to Assistant Treasurer and Assistant Controller of the Illinois Company. In this position he was sent by the company three times to Europe, contacting the foreign plants. It was while in Europe, in 1925, with his family, that his son Stanley was born.

On December 27, 1927, he left for Mayo Brothers Hospital, Rochester, Minn., for examination, following several severe abdominal pain attacks. He was operated upon a few days later, but pneumonia set in, and he died January 6th, 1928 at Mayo Brothers.

Children:

1. Laura Walbridge, born near Caldwell, Idaho, 6 Aug. 1914
- II. Marjorie Wilmot, born, Chicago, Ill., 25 June, 1921
- III. Stanley Bigelow, born Surbiton, Surrey, just outside London, England, 6 June, 1925.

LAURA WALBRIDGE HALL (da of Charles Hubbard and Nora (Walbridge) Hall) b. near Caldwell, Idaho, 6 August, 1914.

Married, 8 October, 1938, Chicago, Ill.

ROBERT JARRETT ALLEN (son of William John and Mary (Jarrett) Allen) b. 19 Aug. 1907, Sparta, Illinois

Laura, you might say, joined the Hall family to "see the world". She was born while her father was employed at a Reclamation Project at Nampa, Idaho, and so she spent the first months of her life in a tent at the Construction Camp. She soon, however, was moved to a house in Nampa, - but not for long. When she was less than two years old, she was brought by her mother to Chicago and Michigan, a detour to her next home in a log cabin in the center of Alaska, Nenana. There she stayed about a year, making the trip back to the States by a river trip of three weeks and then by ship from Skagway. She spent the next few months visiting, - from the west coast to the east, until her father rejoined the family in Chicago. Here she remained, except, when her father was sent to Europe, and her mother accompanied him, she stayed with her grandparents in Chicago; and when in 1925 her father and mother were to go to England, she and her sister, Marjorie, accompanied them, staying there about a year and a half. It was while they were in England, that her brother, Stanley, was born. In England, as she had left her fourth grade at Vanderpoel School, she was enrolled at a private school, "Romanoff" where children of professional men, and of the King's Counselors went. Dr. Dawes was head of the school, the first woman in England to receive a Doctor's Degree. Laura, while in England, was old enough to enjoy the many experiences, and trips that they made around the Island.

When Laura and her family, returned to Chicago, she "settled down" for the first time in her life, finishing school at Vanderpoel and Morgan Park High School. Of course, her father's death in 1928, as it does in everyone's childhood who is faced with this situation, changed, perhaps the course of her life. But, with her mother's courageous efforts, Laura, her sister Marjorie, and Stanley, led the usual "normal" happy childhood and youth. Here is one family in our geneology, who had been left fatherless, that we can state, was brought up by the mother. (Her mother remarried much later, a widower, who only lived a few years).

One summer, while working at the Union Special Machine Company, she met her husband to be, who was also employed there, and several years later they were married. He is now the head of the Cost Accounting Department, at the Union Special Machine Company. About 1950 they moved to Glen Ellyn, Illinois, where they have a home, and where they are active in all of the village "doings" be it square dancing, bridge, or politics. They are members of the Episcopal Church, working at the Guild, and church organization.

Children;

1. Nancy Jean, b. 15 May, 1946, Chicago, Ill.

MARJORIE WILMOT HALL (da of Charles Hubbard and Nora (Walbridge) Hall) b. 25 June, 1921, Chicago, Ill.

Married, 2 June, 1942, Holy Nativity Episcopal Church
Chicago, Ill.

PAUL HENNEY PATTERSON (son of Claire Cameron and Vivian (Henney) Patterson) b. 14 Feb. 1921, Des Moines, Iowa

Marjorie, in contrast to her sister, spent most of her childhood in Chicago, except

In 1925 she was taken to England by her parents where the family lived a year and a half.

Six months or more with her maternal grandparents, the Corwin Walbridges, Decatur, Michigan, while her parents made an earlier trip abroad.

After her father's death, she lived for a time with an aunt and uncle, the Robert Walbridges in Burlington, Wis.

Marjorie was graduated from the John H. Vanderpoel Elementary School in June, 1935, and from the Morgan Park High School in June, 1939.

In September, 1939, Marjorie enrolled at Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa, - where she was to meet her future husband, Paul Henney Patterson. Paul was one of the campus star athletes, Captain of the Conference Basket Ball Team, and Marjorie was his favorite fan. In 1941, Marjorie left Grinnell to work in nearby Des Moines, Iowa; however she spent most of her week-ends visiting in Grinnell, where Paul was now a senior.

World War II started suddenly that year, but Paul was granted a deferment, in order to graduate on May 30, 1942. Two days later, June 2nd, he and Marjorie were married in Marjorie's childhood parish, the Church of the Holy Nativity, in Chicago. Paul was inducted into the Army on August 12, 1942, and, as an enlisted man in the ground services of the Air Corps was stationed at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, Lowry Field, Colorado, Philadelphia Air Base, Pa., and Bradley Field, Conn. He then transferred to the Ordinance Department, and was commissioned a 2nd Lt. at the Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, in July 1943. As he was being transferred to Ft. Custer, Michigan, and the Provost Marshal General's Department, he stopped off in Chicago to visit Marjorie and was on hand for the birth of their son, Paul, Jr., Oct. 22, 1943.

Paul went overseas with the army in February, 1944, and was stationed at a Military Prison Camp at Bury St. Edmonds, England. Soon after "D-Day" invasion, Paul was sent to France, where he worked with prisoners of war, at Rennes, Le Mans, and Rheims. After victory came in Europe, he spent a delightful six months at the newly formed American University in Biarritz, France. He arrived home in January, 1946, and put aside his Captain's bars for a job with the Equitable Life Assurance Society, in Chicago.

In 1949, the family, still three in number, moved to Midlothian, a suburb of Chicago, and promptly became very active in school, church, and all types of civic activities. As an outgrowth of her interest in the Parent-Teacher Association, Marjorie became a Delegate to the Illinois White House Conference on Education, and while there, was elected one of the 74 representatives from Illinois to the first White House Conference on Education, held in Washington, D.C. in November 1955. So it followed, when Paul, Jr., entered High School, Marjorie decided to resume her college education, and enrolled at Chicago Teachers College, in 1956, to prepare for a teaching career, should she, at some future time, like to become a teacher.

Paul, Jr., followed in his father's footsteps with his interest and participation in High School sports, - and perhaps, like his grandfather, Charles Hubbard Hall, - an excellency in distant events in track. He also is an honor student, and anticipates going to Grinnell next year, - of course, - and where else.

Children

1. Paul, Jr., b. 22 October, 1943, Chicago, Ill.

STANLEY BIGELOW HALL (son of Charles Hubbard and Nora (Walbridge) Hall) b Surbiton Surrey, England, 6 June, 1925
Married, 5 June, 1949, College Chapel, Grinnell, Iowa
DORIS ANNE DUKE (da of George Lester and Lois (Griffith) Duke)
b. 11 June, 1928

Stanley was graduated from Morgan Park High School in January, 1944, and enlisted in the Aviation Cadet Program. He attended the University of Arkansas, as a cadet. He was discharged October, 1945, and entered Grinnell College January, 1946, and received his B.A. Degree June, 1949. He was married, Graduation Day, to "Dody". They remained in Grinnell until "Dody" finished college, and then they went West. They attended the University of Idaho, during one summer, and he taught in a high school in Elk River, Idaho, a small logging town, for two years. They then moved to Junction City, Oregon, where they have bought their home, and where Stanley teaches biology in a consolidated high school. He attended summer sessions at the University of Oregon, in Eugene, and earned his M.Ed. Degree in 1955. In 1960, he has been awarded a grant from the National Science Foundation, - to attend Oregon State College, in Corvallis.

Children

1. Charles Duke, b. 4 April, 1953, Eugene, Oregon
11. Leslie Duke, b. 19 Aug. 1954, Eugene, Oregon
111. Darcy Duke, b. 15 Sept. 1956, Eugene, Oregon.

AGNES WILMOT HALL (da of Avon Stacy and Carrie (Wilmot) Hall)
b. 18 July 1892, Morgan Park (Chicago) Ill.

Married, 21 Dec. 1918, Shreveport, La.,

WAYNE ANDREWS (son of William Pratt and Ira (Peebles) Andrews)
b. 20 May, 1896, Polk County, Texas

Agnes, after graduating from Calumet High School, Chicago, went to live with our "Aunt Nellie" in Colorado Springs, Colorado, - in order to attend Colorado State Teachers College. She majored in Home Economics, and after graduation, she held several positions as a teacher of economics in western High Schools. While teaching, she was offered a position as Dietitian at a hospital, and she then decided to make hospital work her vocation rather than teaching. During World War 1, she was employed at the All Saints Hospital, at Fort Worth, Texas, and it was at this time that she met her husband to be, who was stationed at Camp Bowie. After they were married, they settled for a short time at Livingston, Texas, near where Wayne was born, but soon they removed to Houston, where they have resided ever since. Wayne was employed by the Railroad Postal Service, until his retirement in 1959. Agnes, after her family was raised, has interested herself in many projects, - ceramics, leather work, metal-enamel ware, sewing, and perhaps the most important, the gathering of the data going into this family record. She has also traced the Andrews and Peebles families, and has now in process, the writing of the history of Polk County, Texas. She is a member of a number of clubs in Houston, holding offices and serving on committees, and is particularly interested in the "Outdoor Nature Club of Houston".

Children

1. Wayne Hall, b. 15 Feb. 1920, near Livingston, Polk Cty, Tex/
11. Maurice Stacy, b. 23 Dec. 1923, Houston, Texas

WAYNE HALL ANDREWS (son of Wayne and Agnes (Hall) Andrews) b.
15 Feb. 1920, Polk County, Texas (near Livingston)
Married (1) 13 Jan. 1946, Coral Gables, Fla.

ANGELA MODON

Married (2) 2 Nov. 1954, Brownsville, Texas

ESTELLA de la GARZA, b. Brownsville, Texas

Wayne Hall Andrews attended Browning Elementary, Hogg Junior High and Sam Houston Senior High Schools in Houston, Texas. While in the early grades at school, it was found that he was very talented in music. He chose the violin, and studied it during his school years, - playing in the school orchestras, and for personal enjoyment. Radio was then a new field, and he decided to make it his vocation. He then attended the

Port Arthur, Tex., Radio College. In 1940 he joined the Merchant Marine, serving in the North Atlantic, Atlantic, and Caribbean areas, as radio operator, for three years, with all the close calls experienced in those areas. One of his ships in the Caribbean, was sunk, and everything lost except the clothes the crew were wearing. His SOS was picked up on the Atlantic, as well as New Orleans, La. A plane located them by signals, and a yacht, owned by Major Bowes, picked up the men, taking them to land near New Orleans. After the war, Wayne was employed by the Pan American Airways, as Flight Operator, out of Brownsville, Texas, later being transferred to Miami, Florida. After a few years, he became Radio Engineer in the Miami Airport. In 1953, he became divorced from his first wife, gave up his position with the Pan American Airways, and returned to Brownsville, Texas. A year later he married Estella, and they are now living in a home they built at 444 Billy Mitchell Road, Brownsville. He is employed in the Chemical Plant, operated by the Union Carbide Company at Brownsville.

Wayne's wife, Estella, attended elementary and high schools in Brownsville, and then Business College. After college, she learned telegraphy, in order to become a Radio Teletype Operator for the Pan American Airways at the Brownsville Airport, - serving 17 years there, - until all Pan American operations were transferred to Miami, Florida in 1958.

Children

1. Wayne Hall, 11, born 23 May, 1947, Miami, Fla.

MAURICE STACY ANDREWS (son of Wayne and Agnes (Hall) Andrews)
b. 23 December 1923, Houston, Texas
Married, 27 November 1946, Houston, Texas
ORILLA MAY OSBURN (da of Edgar Raymond and Orilla Elizabeth
(Keienburg) Osburn) b. 17 December, 1927,
San Antonio, Texas

Maurice was a graduate of John H. Reagan High School and The Rice University, receiving his B.A. Degree in 1947. In 1943, he was commissioned as Ensign in the USNR and served the USS LCI 670 and USS LCI 671, during World War II. He participated in the invasion of Southern France during July of 1944. On V-J Day, he was in Pearl Harbor. Shortly thereafter, as commanding officer, he sailed his ship to the Philippines. On May 5, 1945, he was released to inactive duty. He was Lt. Senior Grade, at the time of his Honorable Discharge. Soon after this, he met his wife, Orilla, while instructing courses in Math at the University of Houston.

Orilla, the daughter of a Civil Engineer, spent her early childhood in Houston, then moving to Midland, Texas, when her father was put in charge of Tex-New Mex Pipeline Company. She was graduated from Midland High School, studied two years at the University of Texas, and completed work in 1948 on her BFA degree at the University of Houston, after she married Maurice.

Maurice is presently employed by Transcontinental Gas Pipeline Corporation as Special Accountant in Statistics and Special Reports Department. At this writing (1960), he has just completed 10 years with the company. A few years ago they purchased their home at 9210 Bronco, on the outskirts of Houston. Orilla divides her time between raising their three daughters, teaching numerous art classes, painting on commission, - and being the soloist of the St. Christopher's Episcopal Church choir. The three daughters show strong tendencies toward music and art; and Maurice, not to be outdone, has turned out some lovely cabinet work for their home. Many of Orilla's paintings, as well as the childrens' paintings are framed and hung in their home, making a most artistic and attractive setting.

Children, - all born in Houston, Texas

- I. Carol Margaret, b. December 4, 1948
- II. Laura Kathryn, b. August 28, 1950
- III. Julia Eileen, b. May 18, 1955

CATHERINE NORTH HALL (da of Avon Stacy and Carrie (Wilmot) Hall), b. 29 April, 1898, Chicago, Ill.

Married, 9 Dec. 1931, Chicago, Ill.

JAMES TERRENCE CRONIN (son of Michael and Catherine (O'Brien) Cronin) b. 10 July, 1886, Chicago, Ill.

Catherine Hall, after graduating from high school, enrolled at the Chicago Musical College, in piano, and in 1917 received a Teachers Certificate diploma. At that time she became discouraged in making music a career, and entered the first Junior College Class offered by the Chicago Board of Education, at Medill High School, of which her father was Principal. In 1919, the class, that had dwindled to five people, received two years college credit in commerce and business administration. She held several secretarial and accounting positions in Chicago almost entirely in the building industry.

James Cronin, her husband, was in the Navy, during World War 1, stationed at Great Lakes. On the Great Lakes steamer, U.S.S. Puritan, commandeered by the Navy, they sailed for Boston, with 34 feet of the prow removed so that she would fit in the Welland Canal locks, and the locks in the St. Lawrence River. On the trip down the Atlantic Coast, the chopped off, peculiar looking ship was halted by a U.S. Navy ship, and because the unexperienced, flustered radio operator could not signal properly, she was halted, boarded and inspected. When they arrived in Boston, the morning headlines of the Navy newspaper announced "The Sears Roebuck Navy Has Arrived" . I am recounting this, in 1959, as this is the year the St. Lawrence Waterway, with the numerous new locks, has been opened, and when, with much fan fare, the U. S. Navy has made its first trip from the Atlantic Ocean to Lake Michigan, - doing in reverse what my husband did in 1914.

The first entree in our family record "no children".

4th great grand parents

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DANIEL BAGG	241. ABIGAIL HANNUM	[241. ANN
1668 M. 1693 D. 1738	242. SAMUEL BISSELL	[242. JOHN ROOTE
HANNAH PHELPS	243. ABIGAIL HOLCOMB	[243. MARY KILBOURN
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After "W" write date of marriage.
After "D" write date of death.
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PREPARED BY:

Grand parents

4. JOHN HUBBARD HALL
B. 12 APRIL 1738
W. MERIDEN CONN
M. 22 AUG- 1813
D. 20 SEPT 1867
W. FAYETTEVILLE N.C.

Great grand parents
8. SGT. SAMUEL HALL
B. 16 JULY 1739
W. MERIDEN CONN
M. 10 FEB 1757
D. 20 MARCH 1791
W. W. WESTFIELD MASS.

9. EUNICE LEE
B. 14 JAN 1743
W. LYME CONN.
D. 20 MARCH 1790
W. W. WESTFIELD MASS.

Parents
2. REV. JOHN HUBBARD HALL
B. 24 OCT. 1819
W. MERIDEN CONN.
M. 10 JUNE 1844
D. 9 FEB 1886
W. CAZENOVIA NEW YORK.

10. NATHANIEL CORNWELL JR.
B. 12 JUNE 1746
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 26 NOV. 1770
D. 30 OCT 1830
W. WESTFIELD CONN.

5. MARY CORNWELL
B. 10 APRIL 1779
W. WESTFIELD CONN
D. 26 SEPT 1834
W. WESTFIELD MASS.

11. MARY MILDRUM
B. 24 JAN 1748
W. W. WESTFIELD MASS.
D. 10 JULY 1811
W. WESTFIELD CONN

AVON STACY HALL
B. 15 JUNE 1850
W. YERONA NEW YORK
M. 18 AUG- 1886
D. 25 JAN 1928
W. CHICAGO ILL

12. WILLIAM GILLESPIE
B. 17 MAY 1752
W. W. WESTFIELD MASS.
M. 15 SEPT 1782
D. 15 JULY 1802
W. WINDSOR CONN

6. WALTER GILLESPIE
B. 4 FEB 1788
W. WINDSOR CONN
M. 12 AUG- 1818
D. 11 APRIL 1858
W. CLINTON NEW YORK

13. MARY HOLCOMB
B. 12 APRIL 1761
W. TOSQUONOCK CONN
D. 20 FEB 1840
W. CLINTON N.Y.

3. JULIA ANN GILLESPIE
B. 24 SEPT 1822
W. CLINTON ONEIDA CTY N.Y.
D. 7 NOV 1894
W. CAZENOVIA N.Y.

14. ANNE BUSH
B. 1 APRIL 1764
W. WESTFIELD MASS.
M. 27 JULY 1791
D. 10 MARCH 1810
W. WESTFIELD MASS.

7. JULIA BUSH
B. 1798
W. WESTFIELD MASS.
D. 11 JULY 1892
W. CAZENOVIA N.Y.

15. LYDIA (SACKET) NOBLE
B. 27 OCT 1764
W. WESTFIELD MASS.
D. 22 AUG- 1838
W. WESTFIELD MASS.

2nd great grand parents

16. REV. THEOPHILUS HALL
B. 1 APRIL 1701
W. WALLINGFORD CONN.
M. 22 MAY 1734
D. 23 MARCH 1767
W. MERIDEN CONN.

17. HANNAH AVERY
B. 7 APRIL 1712
W. GROTON CONN
D. 1784
W. MERIDEN CONN

18. CAPT. JOHN LEE
B. 17 MAY 1703
W. LYME CONN
M. 17 OCT 1741
D. 26 AUG 1745
W. LYME CONN.

19. ABIGAIL TULLY
B. 5 JULY 1707
W. W. WESTFIELD MASS.
D. 2 MAY 1773
W. DAY BROOK CONN.

20. LT. NATHANIEL CORNWELL
B. 6 OCT 1715
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 3 NOV 1743
D. 7 OCT 1775
W. MIDDLETON CONY

21. MARY CORNWELL
B. 17 JULY 1719
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
D. 10 JAN 1780
W. MIDDLETON CONN.

22. MARY MILDRUM
B. 24 JAN 1748
W. W. WESTFIELD MASS.
D. 10 JULY 1811
W. WESTFIELD CONN

23. MERCY CORNWELL
B. 17 JULY 1719
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
D. 10 JAN 1780
W. MIDDLETON CONN.

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27. CHRISTIANA WINCHELL
B. 1 AUG 1733
W. CLIMSBURY CONN
D. 1815
W. CLIMSBURY CONN

28. AARON BUSH
B. 30 MAY 1725
W. WESTFIELD MASS.
M. 28 AUG- 1760
W. WESTFIELD MASS.

29. MARY ASHLEY
B. 27 OCT 1733
W. WESTFIELD MASS
D. 28 MARCH 1768
W. WESTFIELD MASS.

30. CAPT. WILLIAM SACKET
B. 7 SEPT 1730
W. WESTFIELD MASS.
M. 10 JAN 1760
D. 2 FEB 1802
W. WESTFIELD MASS.

31. LYDIA WEAVER
B. 13 FEB 1739
W. WESTFIELD MASS
D. 17 MAY 1829
W. WESTFIELD MASS.

3rd great grand parents

32. CAPT. SAMUEL HALL JR.
B. 10 DEC 1680
W. WALLINGFORD CONN.
M. 2 MAY 1704
D. 15 JUNE 1770

33. LOVE (HOUSE) ROYCE
B. 29 JULY 1687
W. W. WESTFIELD MASS.
D. 1784
W. MERIDEN CONN

34. JAMES AVERY
B. 20 APRIL 1673
W. GROTON CONN
M. 1696
D. 18 SEPT 1754

35. MARY FERRIS
B. 1 FEB 1673
W. EAST WINDSOR CONN.
D. 26 NOV. 1750
W. GROTON CONN

36. JOHN LEE
B. 21 SEPT 1670
W. LYME CONN.
M. 8 FEB 1692
D. 17 JAN. 1716

37. ELIZABETH SMITH
B. 1672
W. W. WESTFIELD MASS.
D. 1762

38. WILLIAM TULLY
B. 5 JAN 1676
W. DAY BROOK CONN
M. 1700
D. 5 JULY 1744

39. ABIGAIL MAVERICK
B. 24 SEPT 1676
W. GROTON MASS.
D. 9 DEC. 1760
W. GROTON CONN

40. CAPT. JOSEPH CORNWELL
B. 5 OCT 1679
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 20 APRIL 1710
D. 3 FEB 1741

41. ABIGAIL HARRIS
B. 1683
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 13 MAY 1723
D. 13 SEPT 1692

42. CAPT. WAIT CORNWELL
B. 18 SEPT 1692
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 24 APRIL 1717
D. 8 JAN 1742

43. MARY TODD
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D. 15 JUNE 1770

63. LOVE (HOUSE) ROYCE
B. 29 JULY 1687
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64. JAMES AVERY
B. 20 APRIL 1673
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M. 1696
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B. 1 FEB 1673
W. EAST WINDSOR CONN.
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B. 21 SEPT 1670
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B. 5 JAN 1676
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W. GROTON MASS.
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B. 5 OCT 1679
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71. ABIGAIL HARRIS
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W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 13 MAY 1723
D. 13 SEPT 1692

72. CAPT. WAIT CORNWELL
B. 18 SEPT 1692
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 24 APRIL 1717
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94. JAMES AVERY
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98. WILLIAM TULLY
B. 5 JAN 1676
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M. 13 MAY 1723
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102. CAPT. WAIT CORNWELL
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M. 24 APRIL 1717
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123. LOVE (HOUSE) ROYCE
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D. 9 DEC. 1760
W. GROTON CONN

130. CAPT. JOSEPH CORNWELL
B. 5 OCT 1679
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 20 APRIL 1710
D. 3 FEB 1741

131. ABIGAIL HARRIS
B. 1683
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 13 MAY 1723
D. 13 SEPT 1692

132. CAPT. WAIT CORNWELL
B. 18 SEPT 1692
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
M. 24 APRIL 1717
D. 8 JAN 1742

133. MARY TODD
B. 17 JULY 1719
W. MIDDLETON CONN.
D. 10 JAN 1780
W. MIDDLETON CONN.

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WILLIAM WILMOT
1632 M. 1658 D. 1689
SARAH THOMAS
1639 D. 1711
JOHN BEECHER
1645 M. D. 1712
ELIZABETH ROBERTS
1650 D. 1722
M. D.

128. BENJAMIN WILMOT 1590
129. ANN D. 1668
130. JOHN THOMAS 1629
131. TABITHA D. 1690
132. ISAAC BEECHER 1623
133. MARY
134. WILLIAM ROBERTS
135. ELIZABETH TOWER
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JOHN BEECHER
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NICHOLAS MOSHER
1666 M. 1687 D. 1747
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JOSEPH DEVOL
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MARY SOULE
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224. HUGH MOSHER 1633
225. REBECCA MAXON
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After "M" write date of marriage.
After "D" write date of death.
After "W" write place of death.

Grand parents

- BENJAMIN TRACY WILMOT
B. 20 APRIL 1771
W. WATERBURY CONN.
M. 9 JAN. 1794
D. 12 MAY 1826
W. PARIS HILLS ONEIDA NY

Great grand parents

- REUBEN WILMOT
B. 29 JULY 1745
W. NEW HAVEN CONN
M. 11 JUNE 1767
D.
W.

2nd. great grand parents

16. BENJAMIN WILLMOT
R. 1 DEC 1703
W. NEW HAVEN CONN
M. 19 DEC. 1733
D. 25 JAN 1768
W. WATERBURY CONN

17. ABIGAIL SKIPMORE
BAPT. 3 OCT 1736, NEW
W. STRATFORD CONN.
D. 30 DEC. 1771
W. WATERBURY CONN

18. JONATHAN TRACY
B. 30 NOV. 1770

19. LUCY AVERY
B. 2 MAY 1723
W. NORWICH CONN.
D. 1794-1795
W. PRESTON CONN.

3rd great grand parents
12. BENJAMIN WILMOT
b. 7 MAR. 1861
w. NEW HAVEN CONN
m. 13 FEB 1900
d. 25 JAN 1928.
13. MARY BEECHER
b. 23 FEB 1873-3
w. NEW HAVEN CONN
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 W.
 D.
 16. DONATHAN TRACY
 B. 21 FEB 1674
 W. NORWICH CONN.
 M. 11 FEB 1700
 D. 25 FEB 1704
 17. ANNA (AME) TALMER
 B.
 W.
 D.
 18. JOSEPH AVERY
 BAPT. 17 APRIL 1692
 W. NEW LONDON CONN.
 M. 1715
 D. 27 JUNE 1753
 19. TABITHA GARDINER
 B. 1690-1695
 W. KINGSTON R.I.
 D. LIVING-1756.

4th great grand parents

14. WILLIAM WILMOT
 I. 1632 M. 1658 D. 1688
 15. SARAH THOMAS
 E. 1639 D. 1711
 16. JOHN BEECHER
 E. 1645 M. 1655 D. 1712
 17. ELIZABETH ROBERTS
 E. 1650 D. 1722
 18. I. M. D.
 19. D.
 20. D.
 21. M. D.
 22. JONATHAN TRACY
 I. 1646 M. 1672 D. 1711
 23. MARY GRISWOLD
 E. 1656 D. 1723
 24. F. M. D.
 25. D.
 26. CAPT. JAMES AVERY
 I. 1646 M. 1669 D. 1728
 27. DEBORAH STERLING
 E. D. 1725-29
 28. WILLIAM GARDINER
 E. 1672 M. D. 1717
 29. ELIZABETH
 E. D.

5th great grand parent.

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| 329. | ANN | D 166b |
| 330. | JOHN THOMAS | 16 |
| 331. | MARYTHA | D 163 |
| 332. | ISAAC BEECHER | 16 |
| 333. | PAUL | |
| 334. | WILLIAM ROBERTS | |
| 335. | ELIZABETH TRIMMER | |
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| 43. | LT. THOMAS TITNEY | 16 |
| 44. | MARY | |
| 45. | FRANCIS CRISWOLD | |
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| 51. | CAPT. JAMES AVERY | 16 |
| 52. | JOANNA GREENGLADE | |
| 53. | EDWARD STALLYON | |
| 54. | MARGARET | |
| 55. | GEO. GARDNER | 159 |
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| 57. | LYDIA BALLEW | D 172a |
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Parents

- CHARLES TRACY WILMOT
B. 18 JUNE 1816
W. PARIS HILLS ONEIDA NY
M. 10 SEPT 1850
D. 10 JULY 1881
W. OHIO

5. RITODA SAXTON

6. 11 JAN. 1978
W. WATERTOWN CONN.
D. 9 JAN 1867 (COR 29 MAY)
W. PARIS HILLS, ONEIDA NY

11. RHODA ACKLEY

- B. 10 NOV. 1741
W. EAST HADDAM CONN.
D. AFTER 1810
W. PARIS HILLS ONEIDA N.Y.

CARRIE ISA WILMOT

- 2ND. NOV. 1858
ANN ARBOR MICH.
17 AUG 1885
12 NOV 1947
CHICAGO ILL.

12. SAMUEL NORTH
B. 20 SEPT. 175
W. BERTIN CO

- M. PYCHESS CTV. NEW YORK
D. 7 JULY 1820
W. MARBLETON N.Y.

G. BENJAMIN NORTH

- B. 1 MARCH 1779
W. OLIVE ULSTER CTY N.Y.
M. 1802
D. 20 OCT. 1848
W. LODI, WASHTEENAW, MICH.

13. ELIZABETH AVEN
B 19 APRIL 1752

- W.
D. 18 DEC. 1873
W. BOSTON CITY N.Y.

CATHERINE (NORTH) WATKINS

- B. 19 MAY 1819
W. OLIVE, ULSTER CTY N.Y.
D. 4 OCT. 1882
W. ANN ARBOR. MICH.

7. HANNAH MOSHEK
17 AUG 1978

- K. 13 AUG. 1110
 W. STANFORD, DUTCHESS CTY. N.Y.
 D. 12 AUG. 1868
 W. LODI, WASHTENAW CTY. MICH.

15. SARAH MERRIHEW

- B. 2 JAN. 1960

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